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ENTERED AS SECOND-CLASS MAIL MATTER.

The next storm will probably bring down a few of the massive bill boards, it may be on the heads of the pedestrians on the streets.

The price of coal has been advanced by one of the leading combines of the country. We may now expect to find higher prices all along the line.

MAYOR FISHER, of Detroit, has been renominated. Many people call him a crank, but whatever he is, he satisfies the people better than some who think themselves above them.

So the members of the common council want Colonel Pindar for superintendent of streets. The colonel is out of a job just at present, and he is one of those gentlemen who seem to think that the city owes him a living.

MR. J. J. VAN ALLEN at one time offered to pay \$50,000 for a foreign minister's position. He may soon require this sum to clear himself of the importunities of Col. Cole, of Providence, who accuses the Newport millionaire of serious interference in his domestic affairs.

PHILIP J. FARLEY, Esq., made a strong speech at Southbridge, Wednesday. His arraignment of corporations and their baneful influences upon legislation was severe. To overcome the evils he described some official such as solicitor general suggested by Hon. George Fred Williams, is very much needed.

SENATOR HILL, of New York is again pleading the cause of democracy and seems to be as popular as ever. If he can restore the democracy to power in New York city, and afterwards in New York state, he will have done much to commend him for the presidential nomination.

Boston is to be made a head center for the A. P. A. order. That settles it; no outward foe can now invade Boston. The patriots from Nova Scotia and more distant countries, will now gather round Rev. Dr. Dunn, and constitute themselves the garrison not only of Boston, but of the United States.

THOMAS F. LEONARD, Arthur A. Bailey and Paul Hannagan are mentioned as candidates for the mayoralty of Lawrence. Mayor Rutter, we are informed, is a wise discouraged by their candidacy. He has not yet declared his intentions, but we presume if he wants to be mayor for another year, he can accomplish that object despite all opposition.

THERE is great diversity of opinion upon the new scheme of having a water meter on every service. As the matter has never been tried in Lowell, the effect of the change remains to be seen. A large sum will be required to effect the change, and it is quite problematic whether it will bring any adequate return either to the water board or to the people at large.

THE NAMES of Messrs. Galvin, Flood and Quincy are mentioned for the mayoralty of Boston. Quincy being a democrat leader, it seems, should have no difficulty in getting the nomination if he wants it. It would be rather embarrassing to Mr. Quincy if anybody should tell him that no democrat could be elected mayor of Boston next year.

SOME of the Lawrence newspapers should be ashamed of themselves on account of their continual indulgence in personalities. If they imagine that the public buys newspapers just to hear what this or that editor has to say of his own or his neighbor's personal traits, his vices or his virtues, they are greatly mistaken. Personal journalism would kill any paper and the Lawrence papers that follow it are only hastening the end of their career.

"YOUR GOOD MR. FOSS." said Lieut. Gov. Wolcott at Huntington Hall last night, "Did he not work faithfully and well in the legislature?" He did for himself or if not he wouldn't have secured so many public contracts," said a prominent republican in the rear of the hall. This is just what Foss did in the legislature. He worked for himself and never lost an opportunity by which he could advance his own personal interests regardless of the people.

MUSICAL WAR. The musical war in the school board is far from being settled. The fact of the whole matter is that several musical publishers having heard that there is some dissatisfaction with the music system at present used in the schools have come here and by every conceivable means endeavored to force the school board to adopt their systems. The Whitney, the Natural, the Normal and some other system are all in the fight. The board did well in rejecting all the newcomers and should stick to its decision.

This Will Not Be In Our Time. It has been calculated that if the world keeps on developing as at present horses, cattle and sheep will become extinct and man will be disintegrated into two distinct animals—an upper world of "freakish prettiness" and a most repulsive subterranean race reduced to mere mechanical industry. In the course of a few millions of years the motion of the earth on its axis, which is supposed to be growing slower every year on account of the friction of the tides, will have ceased entirely, and the earth will present a constant face to the sun.

ANOTHER TRAIN IS WRECKED

ON THE BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD.

Five Cars Derailment and 300 Passengers Injured.

NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 24.—A bad wreck occurred on the Boston & Albany railroad here about 5:30 o'clock last night. An accommodation train which left Boston with 300 passengers at 5:20 crashed into the rear of the Milford freight, which was moving on to a siding. Five cars in the rear of the freight were demolished and the passenger engine smashed to pieces, the engineer and fireman barely escaping by jumping. Although the passengers were badly shaken up, no one was seriously injured. Traffic was delayed for five hours. The collision was caused by a switch left open on the main line.

VAN WYCK DEAD.

Had Been a Lawyer, Statesman, Soldier and a Farmer.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Ex-Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska died at 4:30 yesterday afternoon.

Charles Henry Van Wyck was born at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 10, 1824. He graduated at Rutgers in 1843, and soon afterward entered upon the profession of law. From 1850 to 1853 he was district attorney of Sullivan county, N. Y. He served in the civil war as captain of volunteers, from 1853 to 1855, as a Republican. Before the close of his last term in the house, he was chosen colonel of the Tenth legion, or Fifty-sixth regiment, of New York volunteers. He went to the front and served with General McClellan in the peninsula campaign. In 1855 he was brevetted brigadier general.

After the war he returned to the practice of his profession, was again elected to congress in 1867 and again served two terms. In 1874 he removed from New York to Nebraska and engaged in farming. He soon drifted back into politics, and in 1876 was a member of the constitutional convention. He was then elected to the state senate, where he served until 1880, when he was elected to the United States senate. He retired from the senate in 1887 and returned to Nebraska, where he was subsequently twice a candidate for re-election, without success.

Mr. Van Wyck, although a very rich man, was an implacable foe of corporations. He was a great lover of antiques, and during his residence here he haunted the auction rooms. In many things he was regarded as eccentric. Mr. Van Wyck married a daughter of General Broadhead of Pennsylvania. Mr. Van Wyck had been in poor health for several years. About two years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis. His widow and a daughter survive him.

Almost Ready For Presentation. WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Waller has not yet had an interview with the secretary of state because of the absence of her papers. She arrived yesterday, and she will go before the secretary of state with them in company with her attorney, as soon as he can classify the documents. The presentation which she will make is intended to establish the presumption of innocence on the part of her husband.

Passenger Train Meets Disaster. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—The fast mail passenger train on the Vandalia, due here at 1:30, was wrecked east of Indianapolis last night. The cars caught fire, but no further particulars were obtainable this morning.

From a Burned Vessel. NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Captain Gaskill and the crew of the burned City of Augusta arrived from Boston today. Captain Gaskill will make a full report to the owners and underwriters.

Fiftieth Birthday at the Hub. DETROIT, Oct. 25.—The American Missionary association decided to hold its jubilee anniversary in celebration of its 50th year in Boston next October.

Arring Officer Dead. WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The war department announces the death of Eureka, Cal., yesterday of Captain S. G. Whipple, U. S. A., retired.

Teen Town Badly Scorching. DALLAS, Oct. 25.—Fire destroyed more than \$100,000 worth of property in the business part of McKinney yesterday.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES. Disastrous forest fires are raging in Wisconsin.

Two men were killed in a train wreck at Bailey, Pa.

Leo Lapin urges England to return to Romanism.

A Berlin socialist paper predicts a free commonwealth in Poland.

The partially completed city hall of St. Louis is found to be unsafe.

The discovery of rich gold and silver mines near Yacover, B. C.

No trouble is feared from the Ute Indians now hanging in Colorado.

More of the Good Government club's candidates in New York may withdraw.

Sixty-four invalided French soldiers died on the way home from Madagascar.

The London News says the Monroe doctrine is misapplied in the Uruguian incident.

The residence and buildings of Charles E. Cobb of Westbrook, Me., were burned. Loss, \$500.

Paris Figure tells how much each of the deputy members of the Southern France railway syndicate made.

The territory of Annapa in dispute between France and Brazil is being prepared for defense by Brazilian ordinance.

London newspapers in general express satisfaction with the withdrawal of the Rose challenge for the Aporetia's cup.

RAILROAD GIANTS COMBINE

THE NEW RAILROAD TRUST THE GREATEST EVER FORMED.

Combined Capital Enough to Give Every Inhabitant of the Land Over \$20.—What Wall Street Says of the Pool—Business at Its Mercy.

The great railroad trust, which the presidents of nine of the important trunk lines have about completed, dwarfs all similar combinations of the past. The new trust means the union of hundreds of millions in outstanding securities and an attempt to make these bonds and stocks more valuable as dividend and interest earners.

The nine men back of it are the railroad princes of the world. Their word is law to hundreds of thousands of employees, and their decisions affect the value of millions upon millions of securities.

The following table shows the mileage, the capitalization and the funded debt of the nine members of the combine. There is mileage enough to stretch about six times across the continent, while the value of the securities totals up to over \$1,500,000,000, or between \$20 and \$25 for every inhabitant of the United States—about the per capita allowance of money under which the whole trade of the republic is carried on:

Mileage.	Capital stock.	Funded debt.
Grand Trunk.....	\$511,000,000	\$120,000,000
Balt. and Ohio.....	2,015,000	75,000,000
Pennsylvania.....	2,015,000	75,000,000
Edw. & W. Central.....	1,870,000	85,000,000
N. Y. Central.....	2,850,000	87,000,000
Lehigh.....	1,042,000	88,000,000
Washington.....	1,042,000	88,000,000
Ches. and Ohio.....	1,492,000	60,000,000
D. & W. and.....	508,000	20,000,000
Totals.....	17,338,000	\$783,000,000

Grand total.....\$1,502,615,038

The table does not include the connected companies which go out into the other parts of the country as feeders of these great lines, such as the Norfolk and the Vanderbilt system and the Nickel Plate and the others bringing up trade from the southwest and northwest to the coast reaching lines.

So far the interstate commission has done nothing. But it has been kept informed of the progress of the pool and knows that the originators of the last great coalition, who have seen previous pools and slickers grow and wane, claim that it is entirely within the law. Indeed in their declaration they say that one of their objects in the carrying out of the provisions of the interstate commerce law. But the history of this pool is full of accounts of fights by the commissioners against just such combines of normally competing lines.

Large systems have fast freight lines, which are nothing more than creations of the lines themselves for squeezing extra charges from the public. The pooling business can only exist in and with the connivance of high officials in the roads.

The purchasing bureaus of the roads are home-combed with this system of special profits and commissions.

All this may be out of it, but those best posted look to profits, not by any such disorganization of the modern railroad system, but by the simpler "adjustment of rates," which means a general marking up of prices until the roads are satisfied they can get no more.

Wall Street regards the new pool as a bull card. It is pointed out that it will put the traffic schedule makers in a position to get satisfactory rates for freight and passengers, and that this means, according to the traditions of the railroad fraternity, "all that the traffic will bear."

For a long time it was uncertain whether the Great Trust of Canada would come into the pool. This subsidized line has always been in a position to upset any deal the American lines might propose. Consequently there was great rejoicing among the railroad presidents when it agreed to combine. It means that the ring was complete and that the trade and business of the United States would be entirely at the mercy of the trust.

But every corporation in the combine is a chartered body, getting its power and privilege from some legislature, which can control it. And one of the roads is now doubly under the control of civil authorities, as it is in a receiver's hands.—New York World.

Her Teeth Punctured Her Tire. A Chester (Pa.) lady, prominent in social circles, spending along the Danby road road her day, when a sudden sneeze sent her false teeth flying over the machine. Instantly dismounting, she searched in vain for the molars and reluctantly remounting the wheel pedaled home. The "loss" occurred, the lady, whose social functions were numerous, and as her teeth had often been admired a new set meant social oblivion for several days. While her pretty brow was drawn together in perplexity she noticed an expression on the face of a stranger, a second time she was surprised and overjoyed to find the false teeth sticking like a burr in the pneumatic tire, which they had punctured.—Philadelphia Record.

Wanted News of the War. "What's the latest news of the war?" was the surprising question that staggered the customs officers who boarded the ship William H. Connor as she sailed into Portland, Me., one day last week. The query was put by the captain, and the officers eyed him suspiciously until he explained that he was called from the Japan on May 8 last, the China-Japan war was in full swing, and he wanted to know how the fighters were getting along. The war had been over so long the customs officers had forgotten all about it.—New York Sun.

At the Grindin' of the Cane. The fair time, the dear time, is comin' round again. When a fellow'll meet his sweetheart at the grindin' of the cane: When bright eyes will be beamin' under bonnets, and when the girls we're dreamin' while we're kickin' the girls!

Oh, sweet the cane juice drippin' from the windin' grindin' mill! An sweet the red lips appin'—but their kisses! An the world is sugar coated, an a fellow can't complain! When he meets an' greets his sweetheart at the grindin' of the cane! —Frank L. Stanton in Atlantic Constitution.

A Matter of Pride. "How do you manage to live?" he asked of the old woman who wanted "just a few pennies."

"By beggin'," she answered frankly. "Why don't you apply for admission to the poorhouse?"

"Sir," she exclaimed, "I'm too proud to be a pauper!"—Chicago Post.

SUNBEAMS.

"What are you thinking of, Madge?" "Whether I would rather have you for a friend or Jack for a husband."

"That depends upon Jack."—Brooklyn Life.

Surprise Confirmed. One of the principal men in the bureau of printing and engraving had a somewhat peculiar experience in New York recently.

He had occasion to visit the matropolis on business, and after a stay of several days at one of the chief hotels he called for his bill. When it was given him, he handed in payment a brand new \$20 silver certificate. The clerk looked at it and then passed it back.

"What's the matter?" said the official. "I can't take this," replied the clerk. "I don't think it's good."

"Not good!" exclaimed the official. "Not good! Why, man, it's good. I made it myself."

"Yes," said the clerk, "so I thought."—Washington Post.

An Even Whisk. It has been said that all men are created in the dark, and there is doubtless some truth in the statement. Two officers of the British army in India had a difficulty which resulted in a duel.

The colonel, the challenged party, was an old campaigner who had won his laurels in the Crimea, and was a most gallant soldier. The choice of weapons being his, he named pistols, and elected that the affair should occur in a dark room.

We secured a room 20 feet square, says the narrator of the incident, closed every window and put a light, placed our men in corners diagonally opposite, and withdrew.

Each man was provided with three charges, and when these were exhausted we rushed in to gather up the mutilated remains.

Each man stood erect and soldierlike in his corner, untouched, but directly behind the officer who had given the challenge were three bullet holes made by the colonel's pistol.

"How is this?" said a grizzled major. "Find you best standing here when those shots were fired, you would have been killed."

The culprit was forced to admit that he had dropped to one knee.

"You are a coward, sir, and unfit for the company of soldiers and gentlemen!" cried the major.

"Hold on, major!" said the colonel. "It is a stand off. While he was on his knees in one corner, I was on my stomach in the other."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Particular. "Are you the warden in this here jail?" he inquired as he leaned on the stick over which he had carried his bundle.

"I am," was the reply. "Well, how's the ventilation?" "Why, good, of course."

"An' the food?" "Same as usual."

"Any slavers yet?" "Of course not."

"Hot an' cold water in the room?" "Not a bit."

"Well, the time yet. Hostle round an' git change in shape. To know I've been a regular boarder with you for many winters, but ye'll have to get in or few modern improvements or I'm goin' ter transfer me custom."—Washington Star.

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House lots 6000 feet from City Hall, at the head of the new Moody street bridge, \$250 and up. These lots are 40 to 50 feet wide and 80 to 97 feet deep and contain about 4000 square feet of land.

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Just below the Produce Exchange is a neat looking drug store which has a peculiar line of trade. The proprietor has been in the business almost a quarter of a century, and if the adventuresome youths who hanker to be sailor boys only know how many thousands of gallons of castor oil the druggist has doled out in his time to ships' captains the said youths would decide to hunt adventures on land. This drug store fits out ships with medicines. Anybody who has had any experience with the merchant service knows that the captain is usually the only M. D. aboard, and that his knowledge was never gained in any college of pharmacy or medicine. In the office of the United States shipping commission is a record of the trip of every ship that takes a crew from United States ports. It is virtually a private diary kept by the captain for the benefit of the government. No matter what happens, the amount and number of the doses of medicine administered to the crew and to each individual of it are set down, with the minutest details. It most appears from these diaries that the most popular and potent medicine known to captains is good old fashioned castor oil. No matter what is the trouble with Jack, he gets castor oil. None of the newfangled variations of it is prescribed. The proprietor of the drug store bears out this statement. He says that more castor oil is administered to sailors than any other medicine, unless it may be salts and senna. No captain will sail without a liberal supply of both. Oftentimes a captain has reason to believe some of his crew are shamming illness, and then the castor oil is administered in doses to bring any man to his sober senses.

Among the medicines in the captain's chest are rhubarb, quinine, Jamaica ginger and paregoric and certain old fashioned patent medicines. No modern discoveries in this line are allowable. So this druggist keeps on hand for his shipping patronage patent medicines that never heard of, and that go so far back. Little sugar pills come with capsules. Medicine is administered to a sailor with the idea that the worse it tastes the more up the sick man is to think it is curing him. Sailors scorn little sugar coated pills.—New York World.

A Good Natured Emperor.

It was a few evenings before the emperor's departure for the Franco-Austrian war. General de Cotte was on duty at the time, and after dinner went down to the smoking room set apart for the military and civil household. "The thing is settled," he said aloud, lighting a cigarette. "In a day or two we shall be on our way to Italy, unless Providence and the Emperor consent, step us at the first stage of Cherson." (Cherson is the Paris name for the city.) Half an hour later the general went up stairs to the emperor's drawing room. He had scarcely entered the apartment when the emperor came up to him with a smile. "My dear general," he remarked quietly, "I have too much respect for the opinion of others, even when they are diametrically opposed to mine, to ask people to fight battles the causes for which they do not approve. You will remain in Paris with the emperor."

That did not suit the general's book at all, but he did not utter a word in defense. He only bowed. He was, in fact, too astonished at his comment having reached the ears of the emperor so soon. As far as he was aware, no servant had entered the room while he was there. He was then reluctantly compelled to conclude that an equal had played the part of tell-tale, and that alone would convey a fair idea of the code of honor that obtains among the immediate entourage of the sovereign. Nevertheless he was not going to be left out of the fighting, so on the 14th of May he simply had his horse and baggage taken to the imperial train, selected a seat in an empty compartment and only showed his face at Versailles. The emperor merely smiled and held out his hand. This is a sample of the emperor's amiability, of his willingness to let bygones be bygones.—North American Review.

A Story of Monte Carlo.

In the good old days of M. Blanc it was the custom, so the story goes, directly a suicide was found to stuff his pockets full of bank notes. This was done to prove that his losses at play were not the cause of his hurried departure from the shores of time. The last person who received this generous treatment was, I believe, an American. He was found lying in one of the quiet alleys of the beautiful grounds, with an empty bottle labeled "Poison" by his side. The secret agents of the bold Blanc instantly stuffed his pockets full of gold and notes, preparatory to giving information to the police. No sooner had they filled him as full of lucre as he could hold than the suicide leaped to his feet, raised his hat, exclaimed, "Thank you very much!" and went off to enjoy himself with his newly acquired wealth.—G. R. Sims in "Dagone's Daughters."

Webb Sand Wastes.

Large tracts of sand wastes are being reclaimed along the Welsh coast. Series of parallel fences are put up seawards, closely interwoven with wires and fuzes, and spaces between these posts are filled with earth and road scrapings. In these various trees, such as sycamore, willow, pine and alder, are planted, while the ridges are sown with gorse and broom seed and planted with birch.

"Is this where you vote?" said an Ohio retort to an election officer. "Yes, yes, yes." "Then please cut off samples of all the tickets, and I'll take them home and see which I like best."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Every man deems that he has precisely the trials and temptations which are the hardest of all others for him to bear, but they are so simply because they are the very ones he most needs.—Mrs. L. M. Childs.

On Echoing Shores.

On echoing shores the nice dreamers, Of garb and gown no longer care; No etiquette the soul enslaves; The hush in vain an answer craves, And dumb may clamor as they please.

Oh! hush here of those and those, And windy cliffs we dream at ease— Here, where the free Atlantic raves On echoing shores.

Mid purple heather hum the bees, And sea birds wheel down the breeze, And deep below the furling waves Broom through the galleries of caves With lap and pluck of nothing seas On echoing shores.

—Cecil Hawley in Temple Bar.

BAIRD'S TAPIR.

A Common Enough Animal That Cannot Be Seen in Any Collection.

Still less known in this country, and never seen, either in menageries or museums, are the two species of tapir found in Central America. The sleek, plump bodied, chocolate brown tapir of South America we do see occasionally, both alive and dead, but of Baird's tapir there is not even one adult stuffed specimen in existence, either in this country or in Europe. A few skulls and skeletons and two or three mutilated and unmountable skins are positively all the world possesses in representation of this species, and, what is still worse, no naturalist has yet had an opportunity to even write a description of the full grown animal. The young animal is known to be of a reddish brown color, marked with irregular white spots and stripes.

Our universal poverty in specimens of the tapir named in honor of Professor Baird is not due to the extreme rarity of the animal, but rather to a lack of enterprise on the part of the collectors. Men who go from time to time have had it in their power to procure and to preserve specimens. The animal is well known in Panama, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Honduras and southern Mexico.

Although tapirs are usually found along small and well shaded rivers in the low land of the tropics, they are frequently found on forest covered mountains as well. Dr. Frautzi informs us that in Costa Rica Baird's tapir is found both in the lowlands and on the highest mountain ranges. He says also that "it is much hunted, for its flesh is very delicate. The back-woodsmen salt it, or dry it in the sun, and thus provide themselves with large stores. Its thick hide is very useful."

* * * Tapirs are very fond of the salt licks which are formed in the neighborhood of the numerous mineral springs by the evaporation of the saline water. Here they are either shot with bullets on moonlight nights or are hunted down with dogs and killed with spears."—W. T. Hornaday in St. Nicholas.

The Tree of Blood.

The most wonderful optical experiment known to the eye experts is that which produces the "blood tree," or "the arborescent figure of Parkinje." It is a very simple and entertaining experiment and one from which no possible harm to the eye can result. The experiment is an optical delusion in which the retina of the eye and all the blood vessels connected therewith appear to stand out in the air in such a manner that the experimenter has a splendid view of them.

Parkinje, the great optician, accidentally made this discovery of the "blood tree," or "arborescent figure" which bears his name several years ago, and since his time it has been used in thousands of curious test experiments. The projected image is called the "arborescent figure" because of its resemblance to a many branched tree and is produced in the following manner: Shut yourself up in a dark room, at night and move a candle or lighted lamp back and forth very rapidly before the eyes. After a few seconds the air surrounding the candle will assume a deep pink or reddish color, which rapidly takes upon itself the appearance of a sea of blood. Over this red background rumpling in all directions may be seen the veins and blood vessels standing out in bold relief, while toward the center of the figure there appears a dark trunk-like line which serves as a "body" for your "tree of blood," the trunk being most plainly visible where the optic nerve enters the eye.

This experiment is chiefly interesting because it proves that the parts of the retina which normally receive impressions and produce sensations must lie behind the blood vessels, since these cut their shadow upon it and enable the experimenter to see them as plainly as if he does any other external object.—St. Louis Republic.

Versatile Sallee Men.

The versatility of the man who has been educated on a sailing vessel will bear investigation. He has not only to be a sailor and a rigger, but is something of a carpenter, a sailmaker, a cook, a tailor, a barber and a blacksmith and has a speaking acquaintance with several other trades. A thoroughbred sailor can, in fact, turn his hand to almost anything that comes up and do it as well as, if not a little better than the average, and he would find himself in a pickle lots of times if it were not for that same versatility.—New York Tribune.

Labor Unions and the Color Line.

With the exception of the A. R. U. and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers I do not call to mind any labor organization that draws the color line. The K. of L. never did. On the contrary, it fought some bitter battles in defense of the colored workers. The A. F. of L. which represents the road labor movement of the country (outside of railway employees) admits no national union unless the color line is abolished. The machinists furnish an illustration. For years the A. F. of L. barred them because they drew the color line, and it even organized a rival association. The machinists recently abolished the color line and were admitted to the A. F. of L.—Eva McD. Vales in Minneapolis Tribune.

Photographer, Eldred Building.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

RAILROAD WRECK

On Pennsylvania Road Early This Morning

CAUSED LOSS OF LIFE AND GREAT DAMAGE.

Mail Cars and Contents Burned—Cause Broken Wheel.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ALTOONA, Penn., Oct. 24.—The most disastrous railroad wreck in several years, occurred at Newport near here this morning at 2:15 o'clock. A disabled car on an incoming train jumped the track and collided with the fast mail train No. 7. The force of the collision throwing the engine and tender and a postal freight car of the mail train into the canal.

Engineer Volkell and Fireman Haines of the mail train were instantly killed. Nine postal clerks were injured and one of them died.

Immediately after the collision four mail cars caught fire and a large amount of mail was consumed by the flames. A broken wheel caused the car to leave the track.

It was the biggest wreck on the Pennsylvania road to occur near here since the memorable Dock street disaster several years ago.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

The training ship Lancaster arrived at Newport today for her torpedo outfit.

Daniel Sullivan, Joseph Andrews and Walter Reed, three New London boys not 18 years of age were found in a gravel train at New Haven this morning. They ran away from home last night and were bound for Hot Springs to see the fight.

James Pitt of Greenfield, aged 64, was killed by falling from a scaffold.

Walter Dobbins, a boy, killed Joseph Miller at Chicago today, for insulting his mother.

Seven year old Thomas A. Kennedy of Fall River was killed today by a trench excavator.

The 22nd convention of the Y. M. C. A. of Mass., and R. I., opened today at Pawtucket.

The town of Gilsbore, O., was destroyed by fire today.

The special Lake Shore train to make a record between Chicago and Buffalo, left the former place at 3:30 this morning. It made Erie, Penn., 452 miles, in 5 hours, 45 minutes.

James Martin, whose home is unknown, died in Waltham today. He was struck by a train last night.

The captain and crew of the abandoned steamer City of St. Augustine, arrived in Boston today in the City of Macon.

The presidential train passed Gainesville, Ga., at 3:50 this morning.

A plot to take the Sultan's life has been discovered among officers of his palace.

The Fall Mail Gazette commends Mr. Rose's action in withdrawing his challenge.

Suicide in Prison.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

Boston, Oct. 25.—George Dambroski committed suicide last Thursday at the state prison but the occurrence was not made known until last night when the attention of a newspaper was called to it by an anonymous postal card. The card stated that the man was abused and refused proper sustenance.

FUNKIAL SERVICES.

O'LOUGHLIN.—The funeral of Coleman O'Loughlin was held this morning from his late home on Fayette street. It was very largely attended. At the immaculate Conception church, a high mass of requiem was celebrated for the repose of his soul, and the action in for injuries claimed to have been received by a car being started in South Lawrence as he was stepping from it.

Elizabeth B. Hussey sues for \$3000. She was on the Lowell road, July when the motor dropped to the ground suddenly, rising one end of the car from the track.

Johanna Shea alleges that she was injured while stepping aboard a car in Haverhill and sues for \$1000.

William F. Finucane seeks to recover for being thrown from a car on the Lowell line. The sum of \$8000 is named in his suit.

Mrs. Klug of St. John, N. B., is the guest of Mrs. Henry C. Howe of Summer street.

Miss Burrows of New York is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry L. Burrows of Fairmount street.

Miss Edith Stott of Newmirth street has returned from Rye and Mrs. and Miss Stott will be with her.

Mrs. T. G. Tweed of Mansur street is entertaining Mrs. R. D. Everett and Miss Agnes Everett of Boston.

Mr. Herbert S. Jaquith, for the past few years with C. B. Coburn & Co., has accepted a more responsible position in Lynn.

NORTH BILLERICA NEWS.

J. P. Holden of Boston, who spent the summer at Bennett Hall, in the Center, has returned to his winter residence at the Hall. He will be greatly missed by the townspeople, with whom he was very popular.

Vesper Tournament.

The following teams have been selected for the Vesper tournament:

FIRST DIVISION.

Team One—A. G. Smith, A. M. Harris, captain; Alexander Greig, G. E. Allberg, William Corser.

Team Two—V. E. Hart, captain; G. E. Perry, Alex. Hobbs, Alfred Clarke, G. L. Church.

Team Three—F. E. Bramhall, captain; F. G. Baker, C. E. Simpson, C. E. Goulding, P. H. Rand.

Team Four—G. H. Stevens, captain; James Thorpe, L. F. Sherman, W. P. Butterfield, G. A. Stearns.

Team Five—C. F. Watson, captain; A. G. Sills, W. T. Patten, J. F. Sawyer, W. L. Rob.

Team Six—C. H. Clouston, captain; H. E. Pressey, C. H. Howard, A. J. Markland, C. H. Bennett.

SECOND DIVISION.

Team Seven—H. A. Mason, captain; A. B. Felt, T. F. Fitch, Paul Fay, H. W. Coburn.

Team Eight—V. E. Hart, captain; G. E. Perry, G. T. Butterworth, C. A. Paige, G. A. Nelson.

Team Nine—A. M. Richter, captain; F. E. Grover, F. S. Bean, Joseph Bennett, F. E. Ryan.

Team Ten—C. L. Storer, captain; H. J. Corwin, S. B. Keyes, Cecil Rogers, A. A. Sargent.

Team Eleven—V. E. Hart, captain; G. E. Perry, T. Whitaker, A. N. Howitt, D. J. Redford, E. J. Ryan.

Team Twelve—W. S. Coburn, E. E. Dillberg, G. W. Manser, W. E. Livingston, Paul Thall.

Team Thirteen—C. H. Swift, R. A. Carney, W. A. Sherman, H. Eckhardt, M. L. Falke.

The Cooking School.

There were large classes present at the cooking school lecture yesterday. Mr. Blaha Winter, manager, stated in response to many inquiries, that names were coming in for enrollment in various classes to meet once a week. It was necessary to form a class of at least 100, meeting once a week for a course of eight lectures, at \$2 for a course. In other words, each lecture costs about \$25, so that names could be enrolled at \$2 for the course for not less than 100 names, which would give eight lectures in the course commencing early in November.

MR. FARLEY ON THE STUMP

HE OPENED AT SOUTHBIDGE LAST NIGHT.

Making an Onslaught Upon the Corporations That Control Legislation.

Philip J. Farley, Esq., addressed a big democratic rally in Southbridge last night. His talk was devoted mainly to corporations and among other things he said:

"From the beginning of this canvass the standard bearer of the democratic party has contended that the time has come when the public welfare demands a stricter supervision by public authorities of those corporations that are engaged in transacting the public business. Upon this question the platform of principles of the party speaks in plain, positive and unmistakable terms. What is the position of the republican party and what are the convictions of its leaders and candidates upon this a vital issue of the campaign? From the platform and in the press the republicans have spared no effort to mislead and deceive the people on the firm and righteous stand of the democracy on this important subject. They boldly charge that the policy advocated by the democratic party would be an injury to honest investors in our corporations, they denounce this plank in the party's platform as not prudent and as a trap to catch voters and they thrust the issue aside by proclaiming that the democratic party is bent on an indiscriminate attack upon the corporations of the state. The candidates of the republican party, the chosen defender of its platform, policy and principles, know that these charges are claims of unjust and without foundation in fact but they lack courage and they dare not meet the issue squarely and in manly fashion, because they know that these corporations are the party's financial props and pillars."

We maintain that honest investments in corporations should be strictly protected by our laws, that no legislation should be enacted which would in the slightest degree hinder or hamper a fair and liberal division of the investments, and that the rights and interests of honest investors should be sacredly safeguarded by the commonwealth.

The platform of the democratic party refers to public and not to private corporations, and in pointed terms to public corporations that use the public highways in the transportation of the people, their goods, merchandise and comforts.

During the last ten years marvelous has been the growth in power, wealth and influence of the gas and electric light, the telephone and telegraph, the steam railroad and street railway companies throughout the state—combination has followed combination; they have formed powerful associations to control legislation in their own interests and against the people's welfare; they are now veritable monopolies; they are the corrupt and corrupting influences in the halls of legislation; they are a menace to sound and just legislation. The people's rights are ignored, the people's interests are discarded. Inasmuch as they are public corporations we claim that their first duty is to the people and while the stockholders have a right to a fair return from their investments we demand that these corporations be placed under the strict supervision and regulation of public authorities.

HEAVY SUITS FOR DAMAGES

Brought Against the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Company.

Six suits have been entered against the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill railroad.

Anto Stoehrer sues for \$15,000 for injuries received in an accident on the Haverhill line in August last, when it is alleged that two cars collided, Stoehrer being upon one of them.

Philip Belanger brings suit for \$1000. The name named in Ellen Regan's suit is \$3000 and the action is for injuries claimed to have been received by a car being started in South Lawrence as he was stepping from it.

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Two Days' Special Offerings in

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Several cases of Blankets, slightly soiled in manufacture, have been delivered to us from the mills this week and will be placed on sale today. The prices will be much less than asked for regular goods, and the quality of goods are A1.

At 49c. a pair—5 cases white and gray Blankets, 10-4 size.

At 69c. a pair—5 cases of white Blankets, 11-4 size, sold regularly in perfect condition, \$1.25.

At \$2.98 a pair—3 cases white wool Blankets, 11-4 size, and sold when perfect, \$4.25.

At \$3.49 a pair—3 cases of white wool Blankets, 11-4 size, sold when perfect, \$5.

At \$5.59 a pair—2 cases fine California All-Wool Blankets, never before offered less than \$8.

A Special Lot of Horse Blankets AT 50c. ON THE DOLLAR

Elegant patterns, large sizes, manufacturers' samples. It will pay owners of horses to examine this lot.

BARCAINS IN COMFORTABLES

At \$1 each—We will offer today five bales of large size Comfortables, well made and equal to anything sold in previous seasons at \$1.50.

At \$2.25 each—We will offer a special lot of fine Comfortables, covered both sides with French sateen, filled with clean batting and worth \$3 if you made it at home.

FLANNELS.

Scotch, Saxony and French Flannels in stripes and solid colors, from 12c. to 50c. per yard.

Special attention is invited to our assortment of Down Puffs in dainty designs in French sateen coverings, \$4.79 each.

Olympic Alleys

The Olympic Bowling Alleys are the best in the city. No one need be hungry up there, as the Kitchen and Grocers have entered the tournament which begins next week. Get into the game, and remember these alleys are under the supervision of Tommy Golden. They are open Day and Night at No. 110 MIDDLESEX STREET.

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Office of THE PIONEER PRESS COMPANY, C. W. HOUSTON, Supt. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 7, 1894.

Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected by the habit, and I found it impossible to give up the use of tobacco. I tried every remedy, but without success. I read of your "Baco-Curo" and various other remedies, but I decided to try yours. I received your booklet, and today I consider myself completely cured. I am now perfectly healthy, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it. Yours very truly, C. W. HOUSTON.

WANT COLUMN.

BRANKSON KNITWEAR wanted. Also girls to run on tops. Apply to Robert Payton & Son, Ayer City.

FOR SALE—On Appleton street, a nice boarding and lodging house, lots of boarders. It is a good place and cheap and must be sold. G. L. Hubbard, room 4, O. block.

CALLESMAN—Salary of commission with expenses paid. Exclusive territory. Permanent place and must be filled quick. Exceptional chance for a man. Blackford & Co., Tequeno, Can.

A LADY—Having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work, steady pay \$15 a week. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope. Mrs. A. Schabus, Lawrence, Mass.

FOR SALE—New Clarendon street, two tenement houses and barn, sheds, lots of fruit, 5000 feet of land. Price \$3000. G. L. Hubbard, room 4, O. block.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.
ADJACENT FOR FRIDAY, OCT. 25.
Sun Rise..... 6:43. Moon Sets..... 11:02 PM.
Sun Sets..... 4:43. Moon Rise..... 6:43 AM.
Length of Day..... 10:19. Length of Night..... 13:41.
Forecast for New England: Fair; south-westerly winds; slightly warmer.

LOCAL NEWS.
Eleven lodges met last evening and arranged for union rallies in the interest of no license.
The ladies of Grace Universalist church gave a chicken supper at the church vestry on Saturday last evening.
The New England Telephone and Telephone company met Wednesday and declared a dividend of \$1.25 per share.
German and American glass, single and double thick, for building and house purposes, always in stock. Colburn's, Market street.
A party of 83 members of Highland union, Hallowell lodge, went to Lawrence, last night, and were the guests of Crystal Hallowell lodge of that city.

Off for Europe.
The following Lowell people are booked through the Murphy's steamship agency to leave New York tomorrow for Europe on the Cunard line steamer Campanian: Mr. Hamlet Pearson, James P. Martin, Patrick O'Day, Daniel O'Day and Edward Scullion.

Washington Correspondent, U. S. G. C.
Washington, Oct. 25.—The Golden Cross, met last evening and made arrangements for celebrating its 17th anniversary on Nov. 14. The feature will be an address by Miss Mabel C. Foster of Boston, who is the daughter of Rev. Addison P. Foster, former pastor of the Eliot church of this city, and a granddaughter of Rev. E. B. Foster, who was pastor for many years of the John Street church. The subject will be "A glimpse of Boston studies," and she will show a large collection of pictures. The committee of arrangements consists of Arthur L. Gray, Mrs. F. C. Austin, Marion Gregg, Wallace A. Corey, Mrs. J. Vignat and Harry Gray.

What Mr. Nichols Says.
LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 24, 1895.
Editor THE SUN.—One of the peculiarities of a political campaign seems to be the strange and mysterious rumors put in circulation about the personal life of the candidates. It has been brought to my notice, since my acceptance of the prohibition nomination for senator, that a rumor, which I have traced to its source, is being spread by the extensive circulation of a paper, that I am about to join the Catholic church and am also to join the public school system.
It seems hardly necessary to say that these statements are false and ridiculous. I believe in the Catholic church as far from the South, while freely according, however, the same right to others that I claim for myself, namely, to worship the Almighty in the way that commends itself to my own conscience and reason.
My position on the public school question is fully defined in the plank in the prohibition platform, upon which I stand with both feet, viz:
"We stand unanimously for the American public schools, taught in the English language, and are opposed to any appropriation of public money for sectarian schools or other sectarian purposes, or to any religious test of citizenship."

Yours very truly,
JOHN A. NICHOLS.

COMMUNICATION.

Editor of THE SUN.—Having read considerable concerning a proposed plan to meet water in the city, and in the city, which the owners of buildings will be taxed \$5 as a minimum I would like to ask if the projectors of this scheme have taken into consideration the fact that in all cases of tenement houses the water is used by the tenants and that should the meter register more than would suit the landlord's pocketbook, each tenant would get a lecture upon economy in using water by his landlordship and that in many cases eventually the facilities for obtaining water by tenants would be reduced.
As it is already, some of the large tenement blocks of this city are in an unhealthy condition owing to lack of flushes in water closets and in some cases, lack of water closets. The water in the closets is to be charged to the landlord. We may expect to find in the future, one faucet to two families in a tenement block, and fewer closets. Let the water board consider the needs of the poor and the effect of the new scheme upon poor tenants before acting in the matter.
Yours truly,
A TENANT.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Musie Hall.
"A Money Order" was presented at Musie hall last evening and proved to be a highly meritorious production. Although presented here for the first time it had very large attendance and the liberal applause showed the appreciation of the audience.

The plot deals with the adventure of a former convict, who, after a long and arduous journey, finds his wife married to a prosperous merchant and the mistress of his business partner. The tramp exposes her, is looked upon as mad man, but finally escapes, and proves the unfaithful partner to be a defrauder. The latter and the unfaithful wife are discarded and the tramp taken in as partner in the business.
Every character in the cast is strongly represented, the dialogue is witty and the situations interesting and exciting. One of the most humorous scenes is at the beginning of the third act where the tramp is examined for insanity in the presence of the poor board. It kept the audience in a roar of laughter and merriment. Some fine specialty work is introduced and the whole performance is first class. It will be given tonight and tomorrow night and tomorrow afternoon.

A Woman Hoag.
Around the neck of her husband and begged and begged for a divorce. She was immediately and reservedly for the party and young subterfuge, Lillian Kennedy, in "She Couldn't Marry Three." Few actresses at her age are endowed with such transcendent talent; in the whole range of the drama she has never been so exciting, both in wit and in pathos, and with an ease and absence of effort that disarms criticism.
She sings a ballad or comic song, dances a graceful skirt dance or break down, and all the while is imbued with the spirit of an innate artist, a thorough musician; endowed with youth and uncommon beauty, she seems destined at no distant day to reach the very pinnacle of dramatic eminence.

Have You Tried?
Our new Bunker Hill soap? They are dandies. Nothing like them ever sold before in Lowell. The price is reasonable. You should begin using them at once. Dickson Bros., 28 Merrimack street.
Bowling, Billiards, Pool.
Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.
DENTIST.
Dr. C. W. MERRILL, 122.

RUSSIA'S DESIGN
Is to Capture Korea if Possible.

HER SHIPS HEADED IN THAT DIRECTION.
Speculation as to the outcome at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The cable report that a Russian fleet of 15 vessels was on its way to Korea attracted much attention yesterday among the diplomatic representatives of the far East to whom it was shown. It is regarded as presenting grave conditions, if the facts are as represented. The fact that Russia is one of the points toward which the Russians are heading is pointed out especially significant. Russia is at the southernmost extremity of Korea, and is the point nearest to Japan, being only 12 hours' sail from the Japanese mainland. Further north is Wonsan, the strategic point in Korea which the Russians have long sought to secure. It is on the coast of Korea, in the middle of the east coast of Korea. The north arm of the bay is known as Port Lazareff, and here the Russian fleet comes regularly for maneuvers. The bay is the only useful harbor in the stretch of 600 miles along the east coast of Korea. The bay is perfectly sheltered, and is open the year round. Leading authorities agree that it will ultimately be the terminus of the trans-Siberian railway which Russia is building.
For these reasons the movements of the Russian fleet toward these points of strategic importance is watched with keen interest.

Wrecked in Boston Harbor.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Schooner William H. Cross of this port, Captain Lawson, arrived yesterday in a badly damaged condition, having been in collision with the schooner Chillon of Portsmouth, N. H. The accident occurred just outside Boston harbor. Just how the collision happened is not explained, but the Cross struck the Chillon on the port side, and she sank almost immediately. Her captain and crew of three men escaped. They refused to be taken off by a sail; vessel and rowed up Boston harbor in their own boat.

The Colt Divorce Scandal.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—James M. Ripley, Rathbone Gardner and Richard Comstock, counsel for Mrs. Samuel P. Colt, met in conference at Mr. Comstock's office yesterday, together with Mrs. Colt. It immediately after it ended the entire party started for New York. It is stated that Colonel Colt, accompanied by friends, is also in this city. The writ, calling for Van Alen's arrest, was yesterday given to John Sheriff De Bois of Newport county, and was taken to Newport. It will be served today.

To Work for Almost Nothing.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Kingly, Gargantuan and half a dozen other Americans, from Cuyahoga admitted yesterday to the board of special inquiry at Ellis Island that they had come to America under contract to work in the shoe factories of Lynn, Mass. They had been furnished with free tickets and about \$200 each. They were contracted to work for \$3 a week. The men arrived on La Champagne, and they will be sent back on her.

Railroad Accident at Saco.
SACO, Me., Oct. 25.—A freight train from Portland ran into the engine of an east-bound freight train at Saco on the Boston and Maine road yesterday afternoon. The regular train was on the main track, and the special attempted to run on a side track, but the switch failed to work. Both engines were somewhat damaged and one left the tracks. Nobody was injured.

Held by the Wilkesons.
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25.—The Liverpool Test claims to have discovered the head of Oliver Cromwell in the possession of the Wilkeson family of Seaboard, Eng. Samuel H. Church, author of the "Life of Cromwell," says the existence of this head has been known for fully 100 years, and competent judges believe it to be genuine.

Lost on the Banks.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Captain Griffin, of the schooner Lizzie Griffin, who reported four of the crew lost while tending trawls at the Grand Banks fishing grounds, has received word that Ed. Curigan and Louis Little, two of the missing men, have been picked up by the schooner Puritan.

Two Walkers Killed by Two Terrys.
NASHVILLE, Oct. 25.—Dibbell Walker of Cookeville was shot and killed here yesterday by young Terry, also of Cookeville. Terry's brother had killed Walker's brother in the mountains, and since then there has been bad blood between the families.

Wrecked Off St. Johns.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Schooner E. Walsh, from Boston for Sidney, C. B., in ballast, was totally wrecked at St. Johns island, near Yarmouth.

Back From Atlanta.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—President Cleveland and cabinet officials arrived from Atlanta at 8:10 o'clock last evening.

To Run to Portland.
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—The collector of this port was officially informed yesterday that the Allan line steamer will run between Portland and Liverpool this winter, and that the first steamer will arrive here Nov. 17.

Again in the Water.
BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The Annam ram Ketchikan was taken from the dry dock at the Charles-town navy yard yesterday and moved off the pier. General Hyde said he thought the ram would make the requisite 10 knots.

Thrown From Cars.
SALER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Peter Borey, a trainman, was at work on some coal cars when he was thrown from a car against them, throwing him off the rear car, and several cars passed over his head and arms.

Decrease in Coal Shipments.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Statistics of the coal shipments of Nova Scotia for the nine months ending September, 1895, compared with the same period in 1894, show a large falling off.

Alleged Violation of Fishery Laws.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—The American fishing schooner John L. Nicholson, Captain Rudolph, was seized yesterday by the collector of customs at Canso for violation of the fishery laws.

Well Known by Travelers.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—Thomas Davenport, a prominent hotel keeper in this state and Massachusetts for the past 35 years, has been named for the past 35 years, has been named for the past 35 years, has been named for the past 35 years.

LOCAL NEWS.

Old Humbled 10c. cigar.
T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bldg.
The Lowell Wall Paper Co; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.
Twenty-five pianos to select from at Steinert's, 51 Merrimack street.

What the Colonel Says.
The Times says "Col. Pinder" denies that he is a candidate for superintendent of streets. But Col. Pinder may be.
Collision on Bridge Street.
A white horse attached to a buggy belonging to Charles Belanger ran away from Centralville, this morning at 8 o'clock and struck a car at the corner of Bridge and Page streets. The buggy was badly damaged.

Music for the School Board.
The school board was treated last night to an exhibition of the merits of the American system of music. Prof. Knapp explained the system to the members many of whom seemed highly pleased and greatly impressed with it.

Mr. Budd's Lecture.
Mr. Daniel A. Budd, of Detroit, Mich., will give a free lecture in Huntington hall, on Sunday evening, Oct. 27. The subject is "The American Catholic Church," and the lecturer will be in aid of the paper.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

"Great Jacobson" Jeremiah McCarthy is the name of the A. P. of the past, now elected to Nashville, Tenn.—Nashua Telegraph.

Well, what of that, neighbor? Dalton McCarthy is the leader of the Canadian Orangemen. A countryman of his named Traynor, is president of the American Protective association. Fitzpatrick is the New Hampshire state organizer of the "United American Mechanics," and a descendant of the Puritans named Callahan is a prominent member of one of the local lodges of the order. "Put none but Americans on guard."

The sole cause of England's tenacious hold on Venezuela soil is that traces of gold have been found where England has placed her camp. She surmises that she can dig up nuggets there if she can make good her title.

"Did you ever hear how the crossing at grade of two railroad lines came to be called a 'know-nothing crossing'?" I thought not. The term is in common use the country over, but I'll bet a good hat that not one person in every ten thousand that employ it in every day conversation know its origin.

The veteran railway man crossed one leg over the other knee, lighted his cigar afresh, and in answer to requests for an explanation, he said: "I don't remember how many, for I'm not posted on political dates—the 'Know Nothing' party, which, so far as I can learn, was very similar in its tenets to the A. P. of today, carried the state election here in Massachusetts and got control of the legislature. One day a member of the house, a clergyman and a Know-nothing, offered a bill in relation to the grade crossings of railroads. I cannot recall the exact phraseology of the whole measure, but it provided in effect that when two trains were simultaneously approaching such a crossing, each should stop until the other passed. Would you believe it, the bill passed the house and the senate. They were covered that under its provisions, if enforced, the railroads of Massachusetts would be filled with stalled trains, each waiting until the other passed. But when the measure came before the senate, somebody went to and exposed the absurdity of the bill, and it was put into the shade it bears at the present time. The newspapers, as well as the legislature made a lot of fun out of the thing, and when somebody called the intersection of two railroads a 'know-nothing crossing' the appropriateness of the name was immediately recognized, and it passed into common use."

The Boston Herald has an editorial on "The Lost Art of Sewing," and says the new woman dispises the needle. Alas for the buttons that will always stay on. Will some philanthropic inventor come forward with a mangle that will do as a substitute for the needle? It will soon be one of the crying needs of the hour.

A couple who were married on May 5 of this year and separated Aug. 17, presented themselves before Judge Pryor in New York asking for a divorce. It was refused on the ground that the parties had not been married a fair time. Five months, the judge held, was not a sufficient length of time in which to prove marriage a failure.

A Maine editor has sent little Marion Cleveland a poultice. This moves the editor to remark that the Maine editors have been giving her father pointers.

BOWLING NEWS.
Did you ever notice that when you struck the head pin and it looked like a "strike" numbers 7 and 10 remained standing?
"Tommy" Ryan the young man who represents Haverhill in the new league says his team will be composed of crack-jacks.

On the Stanley alleys in Lawrence, Thomas Eastham, who will probably be a member of one of Frank Stanley's teams put up a total of 672.
Sparks and Beauregard will be found on the Miserable team this year.
Ed. Morse says that his team will include the best players in Nashua. He also intends to remark that "Jim" McLaughlin will manage the team.

The Old Guards defeated Jewett & Swift's team on the Olympic alleys last evening by the following totals:
Old Guard—Gray, 518; McKillop, 452; Ryan, 387; McSorley, 454; Saunders, 431; total 2252.
Jewett & Swift's—Sheshey, 467; Clark, Broadbent, 432; Obieken, 448; Perry, 357; total 2215.

The Methuen bowlers rubbed it into the Vesper's on their own alleys last evening. It is something unusual for the Vesper boys to be beaten at home, but the visitors did it handsomely. The score:
Methuen—Bentham, 530; Butler, 570; Lewis, 561; Tenney, 481; Bruce, 514; total 2612.
Vesper—Swift 447; Grover, 518; Bean, 472; Stiles, 540; Parley, 530; total 2552.

In a practice game on Les Miserables alleys last evening, a picked team which may represent Les Miserables in the league, made the following scores: Swift, 477; Sparks, 534; Fullerton, 537; Farrell, 543; Beauregard, 576; total 2683. The team string totals were 853, 960 and 837. Beauregard's secret single of 230 and Fullerton caught 201.

Bean will captain the Vesper team!

RUSSIA'S DARING
Secures Control of Manchuria by Diplomacy.

THE OTHER GREAT POWERS MAY INTERPOSE
To Prevent the Destruction of Balance of Power.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The correspondent of The Times at Hong Kong learns that the recently concluded Russo-China treaty Russia obtains rights to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur, and to construct and maintain Russian administration railroads from Northlinsk and Vladivostok, and from Totschart to Port Arthur, together with other commercial advantages to which the most favored national clause is not applicable.
In an editorial, commenting upon its dispatch from Hong Kong, The Times this morning says: Our correspondent has close relations with men who are able to penetrate beneath the surface of things. Its startling news, therefore, cannot be disregarded, even as is too probable, though it be followed by an official denial. Russia is possibly imagining that the great powers will view with indifference such a destruction of the balance of power, which is almost unparalleled in its audacity. China's option to purchase the railroad is a just almost equivalent to find a place in any serious diplomatic treaty. Under the indicated conditions, Manchuria would practically become a Russian province.

How Revolutionists Were Punished.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 25.—Further details regarding the execution of the 60 young Turks who were arrested on Saturday on a charge of excesses during the recent Armenian riots show that the 30 culprits, after a trial, were conveyed by night aboard a Turkish mail-of-war, where boats took them into the sea, and were thrown overboard. These measures have entirely broken the spirit of the revolutionists. Hassan Pasha, minister of marine, is also suspected and is closely watched.

News From Honolulu.
HONOLULU, Oct. 17.—The board of health has lifted the quarantine, and Honolulu is once more a clean port. Now that the cholera trouble is over, the government will take up the claims of the British, arising out of the January rebellion. Minister Hatch is preparing the government's defense. The taking of testimony in the Granston suit against the Vancouver steamer Warrimoe will commence tomorrow. Granston wants \$50,000 for being forcibly taken from this country.

Defermented by Those He Hated.
CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 25.—Colonel Enriquez, an American, who nearly 10 years ago, was sentenced to death by court-martial for invading with an armed force an American territory, and whose sentence was confirmed by the supreme court, is dead. His sentence, at the instance of the United States government, was commuted 20 years imprisonment. He was 57 years old, and of late was allowed the freedom of the city. He died an enemy of Americans.

Peasants Demand Prompt Relief.
RIGA, Oct. 25.—Famine prevails in the Smolensk and Pskov districts of Russia, owing to the failure of the crops. The minister of the interior recently set apart \$2,500,000 for the relief of the inhabitants of these districts, but ragged and hungry peasants are inquiring what has become of the money.

No Signs of Reform.
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 25.—The promised arrests of smugglers hang dry. Smugglers and their friends threaten shocking disclosures if the prosecutions go ahead. The board of revenue insist that the cases should be tried before them, and the revenue in the government ranks shows no signs of hanging.

Insurance Companies' Losses.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—A statement of losses sustained in Nova Scotia by the insurance companies, made up to Oct. 10, indicates \$142,000, as against \$112,000 last year, an increase of nearly 30 per cent. Over \$1,000,000 worth of government property was destroyed, on which there was no insurance.

Not Able to Proceed to Nice.
PARIS, Oct. 25.—The condition of the czarowitz has become very much worse, and he is not now able to proceed to Nice, where a villa has been prepared for his occupancy during the winter. The czar-witch has had several violent attacks and has become very much weakened.

Thrown From His Horse.
LONDON, Oct. 25.—Lord Dalmeida, while hunting near Tworipley, had his horse stumble under him, and he was thrown. He is in a critical condition.

Get His Old Job.
YOKOHAMA, Oct. 25.—Count Inouye, who was formerly Japanese minister to Korea, has started again for Korea as the special ambassador.

Marlborough Meets Business Men.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Henry L. Horton, a banker, gave a dinner last evening to the Duke of Marlborough, which was attended by about 50 business men. It was Mr. Horton's idea that the duke represent some of the representatives of New York's business interests, as well as the society people.

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On Lake Erie's Shore. The Captain's Wife Tells the Story. It Will Interest Many People.
[From the Buffalo Evening News.]

If you were to call at No. 27 Front avenue you would find a pleasant elderly lady, Mrs. Captain Hennessy by name. Her kindly smile and joyous manner are to no small extent due to the escape she has had since that time I have been subject at intervals to similar attacks, some of which were longer in duration. It is hard for me to describe how I suffered, the pain would commence in my head after which it would seem to pass down my body and settle in my back. My sides ached, my back ached, and I had a feeling of great distress in the bowels. I was so bad that I was confined to my bed; the increased pain which seemed to come from lying down, would be almost unbearable at times. I found immediate relief, when I could hardly stand on my feet; when I endeavored to do so I had a feeling of dizziness that made it almost impossible; this feeling was always with me even after the attack had passed over. The last attack I had was the worst I had ever experienced and was so bad I would not have been able to tell this story but for Doan's Kidney Pills, which my daughter procured for me. As soon as I commenced their use I found immediate relief which left no doubt as to the cause of my trouble, the pain in my back and sides left me and the dizziness went with it. The bloating in my face and body disappeared and I felt as if my bowels were free. Do not wonder why I have a great faith in Doan's Kidney Pills when in so short a time they did a great deal more for me than all the plasters and medicines which I had resorted to in seeking relief and cure. I have since given some of the pills to an old lady friend of mine, and she is loud in her praises of their merit. I hope always to be able to procure them."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all dealers for 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Foster-McIlhenn Co., sole agents for the United States, Buffalo, N. Y.

Collision Near Hartford.
HARTFORD, Oct. 25.—A freight train on the Collinsville branch of the Northampton division was run into at noon yesterday by a gravel train, smashing the engine and freight car and demolishing six or eight cars. The accident was caused by delay in sending out a flagman from the freight train, which was at a standstill. Engineer Crowley of the gravel train was out about the face. Other train hands jumped and were uninjured.

Leaves and Simpson Safe.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Schooner Harold E. Worcester arrived yesterday from the banks, bringing William Lebas and Daniel Simpson, before reported as missing from the Helen E. Wells. Both men were in an exhausted condition when rescued by the Worcester, having been adrift in mid-ocean two days.

Lawrence Strike Settled.
LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 25.—The trouble between the iron and brass moulders and their employers in this city was satisfactorily settled yesterday. The employees agreed to all the requests of the strikers, and made the minimum pay \$2.50 a day.

Wrecked Employer's Residence.
KINGSTON, Jan., Oct. 25.—A gang of railway laborers at Port Antonio, who had become dissatisfied with the manner in which they had been treated, attacked and wrecked the residence of Contractor Shea, for whom they were working.

No Trouble to Get Away.
ROCKLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—Albion Ott, bound over for larceny, escaped from the custody of the jail authorities yesterday morning. The escape was effected by the use of the 15th escape since Knox county's new jail was built.

Another Indictment Against Smith.
BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The United States grand jury reported yesterday and brought in another indictment against Rev. Hyatt Smith. It is placed on the secret files of the office.

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THAT MANITOQA TROUBLE

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For a Settlement of the Parochial School War in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 25.—Archbishop Langriva, the head of the Roman Catholic church in this province, has submitted a proposition to Premier Greenway and the Manitoba government, it is reported, for a compromise in the parochial school war, and the compromise is so accepted. The terms are understood to be these: Catholic separate schools may be established, but will receive no financial aid from the government. The Catholics, however, are not to be taxed for the support of the Protestant public schools. The Catholic school board will be supplied with machinery to impose taxes on all Catholics for parochial schools, except where a Catholic parent prefers to send his children to the public schools.
In brief, the proposition is that Catholics be not taxed for public schools, but be compelled to pay the total cost of the maintenance of parochial schools. Such a compromise, it is thought, will satisfy both Catholics and Protestants, and end the struggle.

Knapp's Explanation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knapp has written an open letter to Senator Chandler in reply to the latter's criticism of the new truckline agreement. Mr. Knapp reiterates his assertion that the detection and punishment of crimes created by the interstate commerce statute is only an incident to the scheme and aim of "regulation," a feature with which the commission has no power to deal. He adds that the courts seem to have reached a conclusion different from the view taken by Senator Chandler that the alleged agreement that the trunk lines are able to enter into is illegal and criminal under either the anti-trucking or anti-trust laws.

Old Records Laid Low.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The record-breaking train between New York and Chicago reached this city last night at 10:15 p. m. The time between New York and Chicago is given out as 15h. 45m. 23s., the distance being 980 miles. A representative of the Chicago Tribune brought a paper published in Chicago yesterday morning. This is the first time a Chicago paper has ever been seen in New York on the day of publication.

Authorities Will Investigate.
ANDOVER, Mass., Oct. 25.—County Solicitor Hoyt of Kingston, N. H., has taken up the Glover poisoning case at Belling, N. H. Professor Angell has reported that he has found morphine in the stomach of Susie Glover. It is probable that the remains of the Glover boy, who was a year ago, will now be examined as the symptoms at his death were the same as that of the girl who died last month. Startling developments are expected.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The British authorities have notified the navy department that hereafter no naval officers will be permitted to take the course at the Anti-Torpedo school at the Naval Academy, a privilege which has been enjoyed with such signal benefit that American have usually graduated as or near the head of the classes. The Glasgow school and Paris school, however, are still open to our young constructors, and with the opening of the Cornell course on naval machinery the navy department feels that it can not going very well.

Declared to Be Forgeries.
SANTA FE, Oct. 25.—The court of private land claims adjudicated yesterday that the Peralta land grant in southern New Mexico and Arizona, claiming 15,000,000 acres, worth at least \$35,000,000, was a fraud. The court held that no alleged claimant, Miguel de Peralta, baron of the Colonias, existed, and that the grant papers are forgeries. Peralta is now in jail here, on a charge of presenting a fraudulent claim against the government, says he will appeal the case to the United States supreme court.

Asked For Death Sentence.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Assistant District Attorney Picolet yesterday made the opening argument for the prosecution in the trial of "Duffant." He discussed the evidence in the case from the time Duffant accompanied Mrs. Lament to school on the morning of April 3 until he appeared before Oregualt King in Emanuel church at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, nude, trembling and excited. He closed by asking the jury to uphold the laws of the state by rendering a verdict of guilty and fixing the penalty at death.

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The cooking school at Mechanics hall, yesterday, was attended by a very select audience both afternoon and evening. In the evening especially the attendance was large many wealthy ladies being present with one or more of their servants.

Baked halibut steaks—Wash and dry two halibut steaks; butter a fish sheet, lay thin slices of salt pork upon it. Place a steak upon the pork; pour lemon juice over it and dust with salt and pepper. Dip oysters (one-half pint), in melted butter and then in cracker crumbs and place upon the fish. Place the second steak over the oysters, season as before, laying slices of pork on top. Bake 30 or 40 minutes, basting three or four times with the juice in the pan and lastly with melted butter. Remove pork on the top and cover with buttered crumbs. Serve when the crumbs are browned, garnished with parsley and slices of lemon, with Hollandaise sauce made as follows:

Hollandaise sauce—Beat one-half cupful of butter till soft and creamy. Add the yolk of one egg, one by one, and beat until they are blended with the butter. Add 1-2 tablespoonfuls lemon juice, one saltspoonful salt, few grains capsaen. Beat till smooth. Then beat the mixture with the Dover egg beater for five minutes, add a dish of boiling water, add one-third of a cupful boiling water and cook till thick as a Mayonnaise sauce, beating all the time.

German pudding—Scald 1 quart of milk to which a piece of stick cinnamon has been added, mix 1-2 cup of corn meal with milk to make it pour and stir it into the hot milk. Add 2 tea-spoonfuls sugar and cook 15 minutes. Beat the whites of 3 eggs till dry. Mix 3 tablespoonfuls sugar, dissolve 1 tablespoonful hot water. Pour one-half the pudding mixture into a dish and add 1-2 the beaten whites to it. Flavor with 1-2 teaspoonful vanilla. Add the cream mixture with 1-2 teaspoonful vanilla and 1-2 cup of cream. Put the chocolate pudding into the lower part of a mold and the white pudding above. Serve when cold with a boiled custard made with a pint of milk and the yolks of the eggs flavored with 1 teaspoonful of vanilla.

Pasta parry—Sift into chopping bowl 1 heaping cup of flour, saltspoonful each of salt and Cleveland's baking powder. Chop into it from 1-3 to 1-2 cup of cold water, mix with as little water as possible; turn upon the board, pat, roll out, fold, turn and roll out twice. Then roll up like a jelly roll.

At the evening session, Mrs. Bates made use of the following recipes: Blanquette of chicken—Mix 2 tablespoonfuls flour, 3 teaspoonful salt, and 1 saltspoonful pepper. Add 1 cup of chicken stock and 1 cup of Highland evaporated cream, which has been diluted 1/2 with milk. Add 1 pint of chicken, cut into dice, and 1 can of peas. Serve on thin slices of toast.

Red salad—Mix together 1 cup of beets, 2 cups of cold boiled potatoes, 1-2 cup of veal, pork or chicken, 1 apple peeled and 1-2 cup of celery, all cut into dice. Add 1 chopped pickle. Marinate with a French dressing, made with 3 tablespoonfuls oil, 4 tablespoonfuls vinegar, a few grains of cayenne and mustard, a few drops of onion juice, and salt to taste. Arrange the vegetables on a large plate, garnish with a star with a knife. Outline the plate with parsley, and fill in between the points with the yolks and whites of eggs, beets, potatoes and cress, or mince sardine.

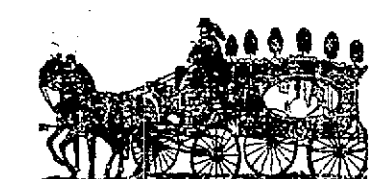
Cocoa layer cake—Cream 1-2 cup of butter. Add one cup of sugar and cream. Add 1-2 cup of milk, 2 well beaten eggs, and 2 cups of flour with 2 teaspoonfuls Cleveland's baking powder. Bake in three layers.

For the filling—Three tablespoonfuls butter, 2 teaspoonfuls cream, and sugar (confectioner's) to mix stiff enough to spread. Put between and on top of layers.

Tartar sauce—Mix 1-2 teaspoonful sugar, 1 teaspoonful mustard, 1 teaspoonful salt and 1-4 teaspoonful cayenne. Add slowly 3-4 cup oil, 1 tablespoonful vinegar, and 1 tablespoonful lemon juice. Add 1 teaspoonful minced parsley, 1 tablespoonful chopped olives, 1-2 tablespoonful chopped pickle, and 1-2 tablespoonful chopped caper.

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G. O. P. RALLY

Lieut. Gov. Wolcott and Congressman McCall

SPEAK TO A SMALL CROWD AT HUNTINGTON HALL.

They Deal Mostly With National Issues.

There was something very frosty about the republican rally in Huntington hall, last evening. It was a rally, and then again it wasn't. There were speakers there and they spoke, but the audience was cold, very cold, and there was a lack of that enthusiasm which in the past has characterized rallies in this city, both democratic and republican.

But there is a reason for this lack of enthusiasm; it is attributable to the evasive campaign being waged by the republicans. Last night, not once was reference made to the corporation, or James McCall, or the democratic platform; rather were the speakers inclined to talk on national affairs, the state bank issue in particular.

The mention of Governor Greenhalge's name elicited but a faint application of the hand, in contrast with the hurrahs with which his name was greeted last year.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman Killel called to order, read a long list of vice-presidents from every ward in the city and introduced Solon Stevens, Esq., as presiding officer. When Mr. Stevens commenced the body of the hall was nearly filled, but in the gallery more than one-half the seats were vacant. There were about 25 ladies present and another 25 or 30 men. Mr. Stevens in his opening speech said it was easy to tell that the rally was a republican one because of the large number of ladies present. He said that as sure as the sun would rise on Nov. 6, Hon. Frederick McCall would be elected for a third term. He then said a kind word for Senator Foss and introduced Lieut.-Gov. Wolcott as "the coming man."

The lieutenant governor was certainly accorded a very warm application of the hand. He said: "At this hour last night it was my pleasure to be on the platform of a great gathering of the republicans of the state. Among the speakers was that fearless, sturdy leader, whose name is known throughout the land, Theodore Roosevelt. I wish that every one of you could have heard that speech. It was a bangle call as he thundered forth that whether defeated or not, he would not raise a finger's weight from the effort to purge New York corruption. Then he praised the New York man, complimenting him in the highest terms for the work he is doing. Speaking of the Hon. John E. Russell's speech at Dedham, he said:

"He finished my statement that a plank in the democratic platform of 1892 favored the repeal of the 10 per cent. tax on state banks. Before Mr. Russell goes gunning again he had better look to his campaign. I believe that the republican party, long the custodian of the honor of the country, will wait long before it exchanges the notes redeemable in gold by government for notes depending on the stability of the state legislature. I say that this policy of the democratic party is a menace to the prosperity of the country."

"I might speak of foreign policy. I believe the people demand that the United States flag shall protect Americans everywhere. I believe that the Monroe doctrine should be more strongly asserted, and that the armed occupation of the countries south of the United States should cease."

This last sentiment called for applause. In conclusion, the lieutenant governor, devoted considerable attention to the governor's council, denouncing strongly, and discountenancing the idea of its abolition.

Congressman McCall of Winchester was then introduced and during his speech, went Solon Stevens one better by referring to Mr. Wolcott as "the next candidate for governor." He said:

"You have a splendid state ticket, from top to bottom. There is material for more than one governor there, and I think that in your own minds you have chosen as the successor of Governor Greenhalge the man who has just spoken here."

In 1892 the country was in great prosperity, and it had not resulted in producing a piled-up surplus of goods. Dun and Bradstreet reported that the markets were low.

"Mr. Cleveland came in and found this magnificent prosperity. Instead of being cured up for a dish fit for the gods, it was backed into a carcass fit for the hounds. In his first administration Mr. Cleveland kept the reserve at \$100,000,000 in gold, and it was maintained by Mr. Harrison and \$107,600,000 turned over to Mr. Cleveland in the second term."

He then touched upon the repeal of the state bank tax and his finale on the financial talk was:

"You are the richest country in the world, but we were humiliated by the contract that a syndicate of private bankers should protect the national treasury."

Three cheers were given for the ticket and the speakers of the evening and then the voters dispersed.

It was probably the tamest rally ever held in Huntington hall by either of the leading parties.

MATRIMONIAL. Miss Clara M. Knox of this city and Mr. J. F. Puffer of Salem were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. Seymour at the First Baptist parsonage, Wednesday afternoon. They will reside in Salem.

Bendick-Gordon. Mr. Claude V. Bendick of Somerville and Miss Wintie Gordon of Chelmsford were married at the bride's home on Wednesday. The happy couple will reside in Somerville.

Branchard-Labonne. The marriage of Mr. Charles S. Branchard and Miss Emma Labonne occurred at St. Jean Baptiste church, Wednesday, Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., performing the ceremony. A reception was held at the bride's home, 637 Middlesex street and after a supper was served at the groom's home, 87 Branch street. Many beautiful presents were received.

PROBATE COURT.

McIntire, J.

Wills presented for probate: Rozina Howe, Billerica; Mary Goss, Ayer; Mary Kelley, Lowell; L. E. Eames, Wilmington; Austin Blodgett, Hudson, N. H.

Administrations: Bridget McCabe, Lowell; Lucy Drew, Maynard; Elizabeth Coughlin, Sudbury; H. P. Towne, Townsend; Henry Haynes, Acton; Sarah Childs, Ayer; Mary Robertson, Lowell; Ashur Mansur, Lowell; Mary Wilson, Billerica.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

The Aldermen Had No Meeting Last Evening.

No meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening, because no quorum was present.

Aldermen Wilson and Tryder were the only ones present at city hall, so Mayor Courtney declared the meeting adjourned. Supt. Ray's men have commenced the work of erecting the election booths.

A. A. Down, a special census agent, called at the city office, Tuesday, and made inquiries relative to the census.

PETER A. FAY, ESQ.

Will be Out Against the County Ring Next Week.

Next week the campaign will wax lively in this county.

Peter A. Fay, candidate for county commissioner will take the stump and promise to make some revelations of the conduct of county affairs that will open the eyes of the voters.

LOCAL NOTES.

Mayor Courtney has called a special meeting of the aldermen for tomorrow night.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Leonard Reed 25, to Rose Pearce 10.

An old fashioned New England supper was held in the vestry of the Kirk street church last evening.

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen, yesterday arrested a young woman, aged 25, for alleged obtaining \$5 from Charles Carey under false pretences.

Charles E. Paige has declined the democratic representative nomination in the 24th district and the name of Winfield Parker will appear on the ticket.

Lieut. Kew is entertaining visitors from homes who came on the Vermont excursion. They are his father, Mr. John Kew, his brother, Robert and wife. They will remain in this city for a few days. On the same excursion came Mr. and Mrs. Horace K. Goodwin of Trowbridge, Vt., the former a brother of Inspector Frank Goodwin. They are the guests of Frank and his wife at their home on Coral street.

Remember that all that BROOKSIDE offers you still can have as there are a few lots remaining. Call at 65 Merrimack street, room 2, and see plans.

Nichols on the Stamp.

The Boston Post says: "A somewhat unique prohibition rally was held in Abbotsford hall, Charlestown, last night, John A. Nichols, candidate for the senate in the seventh Middlesex district, being the principal speaker, assisted by Professor Nelson, who sang. The speaker illustrated his remarks by cartoons, which were thrown upon a canvas by a stereopticon."

See our special announcement on OVERCOATS on the Fourth Page.

MERRIMACK CLOTHING COMPANY

Opp. City Hall.

WOOD TO BURN. Get in your stock of wood for the winter. We have a large lot of kind, hard wood, soft wood, mill kindling and shavings. Edward Cogger & Co., 155 Church and 55 Concord streets.

Mr. D. C. Lester

Will resume his children's classes, SATURDAY, Oct. 25, Advance 10 a. m. Beginners, 2 p. m.

EVENING CLASSES.

Monday, Oct. 10, Beginners. Tuesday, Oct. 11, Private. Wednesday, Oct. 12, Advance and Reception.

Thursday, Oct. 13, to 10, Beginners. Friday, Oct. 14, to 9, Young People. Saturday, Oct. 15, to 10, Intermediate.

Private Lessons at any hour not occupied in class. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

D. C. LESTER, 39 Prescott Street, Member of National Association Teachers of Dancing.

WANTED—By a young man work of any kind. Speaks French and English. Address, Joe, Highland Laundry.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of Mary Kelley, a widow, about 60 years of age, whose maiden name was Mary Kelley. She was married to a man named Michael Lynch, her nephew, P. O. box 222, Westland, Mass.

LATEST HIS EXCELLENCY

Cornered by Hon. George Fred Williams.

HIS ANSWER DEMANDED ON THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Does He Approve Exclusion of Catholic Teachers?

At Milford, last night, Hon. George Fred Williams made another reference to Governor Greenhalge's attitude on the school question. He stated that he had not been able to get the governor to make any allusion to the attitude of the A. P. A. in trying to prevent the employment of Catholic teachers in the public schools.

Mr. Williams said:

"Will He Explain? Last night, however, by indirection, he seems to me to be appealing for the sympathy of this organization, which adopts as its badge and symbol what it calls 'a little red schoolhouse,' and refers to violators of the little red schoolhouse as public enemies. Will His Excellency explain just what he means by such language, and accept my assurance that I am utterly unable to understand the significance of his words?"

I do not know any enemies of the public schools in the state of Massachusetts, except those who would attempt to make it sectarian of any religious faith. That is no business of the public schools. In my party, I sincerely believe, and His Excellency does not venture to deny it. I do, however, stand against the proposition openly made by a secret political organization in this state to exclude from our public school system those who give their allegiance to the Catholic faith. This proposition is alarming and threatening. I cannot conceive any other result than to disrupt our public school system and remove from the ranks of all Catholic children who should be in our schools, the children of all Catholic citizens who should be in our schools. I cannot conceive any other result than to disrupt our public school system and remove from the ranks of all Catholic children who should be in our schools, the children of all Catholic citizens who should be in our schools.

I say now, with a sense of solemn responsibility, to Governor Greenhalge, that if he has himself a feeling of loyalty to our public schools, he cannot afford to temporize with an organization which dares war upon the sacred system of popular, non-sectarian education of Massachusetts. If the organs and leaders of this movement within the republican party will absolutely disclaim the authenticity of this declaration, and any such purpose on their part, I will gladly acknowledge such evidence. But surely the governor of Massachusetts has a duty which extends beyond his candidacy for re-election, and his voice is more potent than mine, and his obligation higher and more sacred. As governor of the commonwealth, he represents the thousands of Catholic teachers and the many honest Catholics who are serving upon the school committees of cities and towns. His silence is unjustifiable, it seems to me, and much more so is his use of a symbol with which this order is identified.

Red or White.

Let me speak as a man of large experience with the public school. I am a school teacher—as a pupil, a teacher and a school committee man—that I see in that symbol an indication that it does not belong to Massachusetts, and that it is imported from somewhere that represents other views and other systems than the public school system of Massachusetts. Why, I beg to ask, is the symbol of this order a red schoolhouse? I have travelled up and down this commonwealth for many years and I do not recall a single school which has been called a red schoolhouse. The public schoolhouse represents the Massachusetts institution and more fittingly, indeed, as it is the emblem of purity, rather than the emblem of bloody controversy. I stand by the public schoolhouse of Massachusetts, which has been purified in the atmosphere of our constitution, which may well bear above the white flag of our native state, which means peace and good spirit among the worshippers at all shrines and the sons and daughters of any nationality.

The Governor Defied.

I defy Governor Greenhalge or any of his followers to show in the ranks of my party anyone who would smooth, or spot the pure white of the Massachusetts public school. And I say to His Excellency that I stand at the head of a party that is willing to shed red blood if need be in the defence of our non-sectarian schools, in the defence of liberty of worship to all men, and to hold pure and unsullied the white of that flag which was borne by Catholics and Protestants alike over the red fields of the civil war.

But the battle for the maintenance of our school system must be fought at the ballot box. It is a matter of political controversy, and I have no doubt will remain so. But the time when the effective blow may be struck is upon the first appearance of the enemy. That enemy now stands intrenched within the walls of your party, your Excellency, and it is for you and your party to drive them from your midst, or you cannot escape the responsibility for the evils which they may do.

McManus Arrested.

James McManus was arrested in Laconia, N. H., for assault on his wife and was taken to thirty days in jail. He is wanted by the Lowell officers for jumping of bail bond. His time expired a day or two ago and he was working out the costs. Today Inspector Allen will go after him. Officer Connor of Laconia re-arrested McManus last night.

The High School Regiment.

The following list of corporals have been appointed for the High School regiment:

FIRST BATTALION.

Co. F—Connors, Pillsbury, Badington, Mahoney, Bruce, Stebbins, Fitzgerald, McGregor, Puffer, Robinson, Steyer.

Co. B—Lewis, Wing, LaBamme, Benoit, Caro, Kelley.

SECOND BATTALION.

Co. C—Cutter, Murphy, Kingsbury, Ciley, McGee, Coburn.

Co. B—Baker, Butler, Cahill, Thorne, Ames, Co. A—Dupper, Haley, A. Kelley, Nelson, O'Donnell, M. Varnum.

Co. A—Dupper, Haley, A. Kelley, Nelson, O'Donnell, M. Varnum.

Co. A—Dupper, Haley, A. Kelley, Nelson, O'Donnell, M. Varnum.

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FUNERAL SERVICES.

CORCORAN—The remains of the late Dennis Corcoran were interred in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the family residence on Butterfield street at 8.45 and at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Patrick's church for the repose of the soul of the deceased. The choir directed by E. F. Faulkner rendered Schmidt's requiem mass, and a very large congregation was present, including many old students of the city. During the service the remains enclosed in a black broadcloth covered casket rested on a catafalque in front of the main altar. On top of the casket were placed several handsome floral offerings.

At the conclusion of the service, the long funeral cortege reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place, after the committal service had been conducted by Rev. Fr. Gleason.

The pall bearers were Messrs. James Hennessey, William Hart, Timothy Holland, Charles Donohue, Michael Boland and William Hogan.

Among the floral offerings were: a spray of 60 roses from Mrs. J. J. McLaughlin; a basket of flowers from the Lavery family; ferns and spray of tea roses from the Hogan family; cross of ivy and roses, Mrs. Humphrey O'Sullivan; and a sheaf of wheat from Mrs. John J. Corcoran; a large pillow inscribed "Father" from the family.

SARVIO—The funeral of Ellen Sarvio took place Wednesday afternoon from her late home, 207 Worthen street and was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were Luke Clark, James F. Kelly, Patrick Barker, Joseph Griffin and Mr. Cashman.

Interment was in the Catholic cemetery where service was conducted by Rev. Fr. Leonard.

DEATHS.

LARCOM—A brother of Lucy Larcom, the poetess, died at his home in Chelmsford at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and about 75 years. Jonathan Larcom, the deceased, has been for 20 years a highly respected resident of Chelmsford. He was a carpenter. About two years ago he became feeble and remained in the home most of the time since. Death was due to bronchial difficulty. He was survived by his wife, a daughter, a son and two children survive him. The children are Fred A. Larcom of Waltham and Mrs. John Byfield of Chelmsford.

WALKER—Daniel A. Walker 71 years, died Wednesday night after a lingering illness, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Edward Walker, 100 State street. He was born in Brownington, Vermont, and came to Lowell in 1840. He was a machinist by trade and worked last for the machine shop corporation. He was a kind and loving husband and father and highly respected by those who knew him. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

DUNN—Emma Dunn, child of John J. and Elizabeth Dunn, died this morning at their home, 23 Harrison street, Wigginsville.

BROWN—Alice Brown, beloved child of Edwin A. and Alice Brown, died today at her residence, 4 Jewett avenue, aged 10 months.

HOLMES—Mark Holmes of this city died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Beasley, in Canton, aged 92 years. The remains will be interred here tomorrow.

ANDERSON—The funeral of the late Gertrude Anderson took place from her home on Market street this afternoon, and was one of the largest funerals of a young person ever seen in Centralville.

The deceased was an estimable young lady, possessed of an amiable and loving disposition, being very popular with all who knew her.

She was confined to her bed about two weeks with typhoid fever and her parents had hope of her recovery until pneumonia set in, causing her death.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her friends.

The following tributes were noticed: Mammoth "Gates Ajar," and large casket inscribed "At Rest," from the employees of the J. C. Ayer Co.; basket of roses from Price family; crescent and sickle, T. J. Gallagher; 10 tea roses from Miss Susie Hurley and Katie O'Neill; basket of lilies of the valley, Misses Adelle and Peter and Edna McLaughlin; basket of 10 roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Gorman; spray of 10 white plums, Miss Mary McCuskey; spray of 10 roses from Miss Kittie Slattery; 10 large white chrysanthemums, Miss A. McQuade; basket of roses, Miss Kate McMahon; 10 plums, Mrs. J. W. Clement; large pillow inscribed "At Rest," Shaw family; 10 plums, P. Farrum; pillow inscribed "Cousin," Miss Kate and Della Anderson; large cross of roses, "At Rest," G. C. Comerford; pillow, "Cousin Gertrude," Lang and Thomas Moore; basket of roses, Mrs. Buckley; anchor and crescent, Etta and Geo. Roche; bouquet, Mrs. Nane; pillow, inscribed "Our Gertrude" from family. The bearers were James Shore, Dennis J. McCuskey, Frank Morris, Richard J. McQuibbey, Frank Fendland and Thomas McMahon. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Fr. Giddy of St. Michael's church read the service at the grave, and the interment was in charge of J. F. Rogers.

For a nice spring garden now is the time to order bulbs of all kinds at McManmon's telephone flower store, Prescott street. Telephone 8.

Teachers Convention.

Several of the public schools were closed to-day, to allow the teachers to attend the convention in Boston.

A Stitch in Time

Saves nine, says the old proverb, and it is equally true that a little of the right medicine when the first symptoms of trouble appear, will prevent long illness.

Mr. J. F. Wessel, publisher and printer, at 111 North Main street, says: "I neglected what seemed to be a slight ailment until it became so broken down from rheumatism that I had to give up my work and became an invalid. I yielded to my wife's proposition to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I used 2 bottles, and have entirely recovered my wonted strength and activity. I now put in full time in my office and enjoy life like a new man. My wife says:

Hood's Sarsaparilla did it and insisted on my writing this letter of gratitude in acknowledgement of the same." Be sure to get Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure habitual constipation. Price 25 cents.

Hood's Pills

This afternoon or tomorrow ride to BROOKSIDE and you will find that the few remaining lots are some of the very finest in the place.

THE SUN EXTRA

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What Engineer Burnham Says of the Accident.

AN INQUEST TO BE HELD NEXT MONDAY.

Investigation by Railroad Officials Today.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROSTON, Oct. 25.—All of the injured victims of the railroad accident who are at the Massachusetts General hospital are reported on the road to recovery and it is not thought that any will result fatally. The officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad began an investigation this morning.

The Massachusetts railroad commissioners visited the scene this morning and have decided to hold an inquest at 10 o'clock, Monday morning. The utmost secrecy is kept by the officials and the cause cannot be ascertained until the commissioners report.

Public sentiment lays the blame to the recent change in order from the left to the right track. Supt. Allen intimates that Engineer Burnham must have disobeyed orders but the latter denies such an imputation. He says the signals were all right and that after that he slowed down his train at the signal tower. Owing to the change in order, the electric block signals were not in order, but the man in the tower signalled him that everything was all right

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THE NEXT storm will probably bring down a few of the massive bill boards, it may be on the heads of the pedestrians on the streets.

THE PRICE of coal has been advanced by one of the leading companies of the country. We may now expect to find higher prices all along the line.

MAYOR FINGER, of Detroit, has been renominated. Many people call him a crank, but whatever he is, he satisfies the people better than some who think themselves above them.

So the members of the common council want Colonel Plafar for superintendent of streets. "The colonel is out of a job just at present, and he is one of those gentlemen who seem to think that the city owes him a living."

MR. J. J. VAN ALLEN at one time offered to pay \$50,000 for a foreign minister's position. He may soon require this sum to clear himself of the importunities of Col. Col. of Providence, who accuses the Newport millionaire of serious interference in his domestic affairs.

PHILIP J. FARLEY Esq., made a strong speech at Southbridge, Wednesday. His arraignment of corporations and their baneful influences upon legislation was severe. To overcome the evils he described some official such as solicitor general suggested by Hon. George Fred Williams, is very much needed.

SENATOR HILL, of New York is again pleading the cause of democracy and seems to be as popular as ever. If he can restore the democracy to power in New York city, and afterwards in New York state, he will have done much to commend him for the presidential nomination.

Boston is to be made a head center for the A. P. A. order. That settles it; no outward foe can now invade Boston. The patriots from Nova Scotia and more distant countries, will now gather round Rev. Dr. Dunn, and constitute themselves the Garrison not only of Boston, but of the United States.

THOMAS F. LEONARD, Arthur A. Bailey and Paul Hanson are mentioned as candidates for the majority of Lawrence. Mayor Rutter, who is informed, is not discouraged by their candidacy. He has not yet declared his intentions, but we presume if he wants to be mayor for another year, he can accomplish that object despite all opposition.

THERE is great diversity of opinion upon the new scheme of having a water meter on every service. As the matter has never been tried in Lowell, the effect of the change remains to be seen. A large sum will be required to effect the change, and it is quite problematic whether it will bring any adequate return either to the water board or to the people at large.

THE NAMES of Messrs. Galvin, Flood and Quincy are mentioned for the mayoralty of Boston. Quincy being a democratic leader, it seems, should have no difficulty in getting the nomination if he wants it. It would be rather embarrassing to Mr. Quincy if anybody should tell him that no democrat could be elected mayor of Boston next year.

SOME of the Lawrence newspapers should be ashamed of themselves on account of their continual indulgence in personalities. If they imagine that the public buys newspapers just to hear what this or that editor has to say of his own or his neighbor's personal traits, his vices or his virtues, they are greatly mistaken. Personal journalism would kill any paper and the Lawrence papers that follow it are only hastening the end of their career.

"YOUR GOOD MR. FOSS."
"And your good Senator, Mr. Foss," said Lieut.-Gov. Wolcott at Huntington Hall last night. "Did he not work faithfully and well in the legislature?" He did for himself or if not he wouldn't have secured so many public contracts," said a prominent republican in the rear of the hall. That is just what Foss did in the legislature. He worked for himself and never lost an opportunity by which he could advance his own personal interests regardless of the people.

MUSICAL WAR.
The musical war in the school board is far from being settled. The fact of the whole matter is that several musical publishers having heard that there is some dissatisfaction with the music system at present used in the schools have come here and by every conceivable means endeavored to force the school board to adopt their systems. The Whitney, the Natural, the Normal and some other system are all in the fight. The board did well in rejecting all the newcomers and should stick to its decision.

THIS WILL NOT BE IN OUR TIME.
It has been calculated that if the world keeps on developing as at present horses, cats and sheep will become extinct and man will be differentiated into two distinct animals—an upper world of "foolish pretentiousness" and a most repulsive but more numerous race reduced to mere mechanical industry. In the course of a few millions of years the motion of the earth on its axis, which is supposed to be growing slower every year on account of the friction of the tides, will have ceased entirely, and the earth will present a constant face to the sun.

ANOTHER TRAIN IS WRECKED ON THE BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD.

Five Cars Destroyed and 300 Passengers Injured.
NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 24.—A bad wreck occurred on the Boston and Albany railroad here about 5:30 o'clock last night. An accommodation train which left Boston with 300 passengers at 5:20 crashed into the rear of the Milford freight, which was moving on to a siding. Five cars in the rear of the freight were demolished and the passenger engine smashed to pieces, the engineer and fireman barely escaping by jumping. Although the passengers were badly shaken up, no one was seriously injured. Traffic was delayed for five hours. The collision was caused by a switch left open on the main line.

VAN WYCK DEAD.

Had Been a Lawyer, Statesman, Soldier and a Farmer.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Ex-Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska died at 4:30 yesterday afternoon.
Charles Henry Van Wyck was born at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 10, 1824. He graduated at Rutgers in 1843, and soon afterward entered upon the profession of law. From 1850 to 1858 he was district attorney of Sullivan county, N. Y. He served in the lower house of congress two terms, from 1859 to 1863, as a Republican. Before the close of his last term in the house, he was chosen colonel of the Tenth legion, or Fifty-sixth regiment, of New York volunteers. He went to the front and served with distinction in the battle of the peninsula campaign. In 1865 he was brevetted brigadier general.

After the war he returned to the practice of his profession, was again elected to congress in 1867 and again served two terms. In 1871 he removed from New York to Nebraska and engaged in farming. But by soon drifted back into politics and in 1875 was a member of the constitutional convention. He was then elected to the state senate, where he served until 1880, when he was elected to the United States senate. He retired from the senate in 1887 and returned to Nebraska, where he was subsequently twice a candidate for reelection, without success.

Mr. Van Wyck, although a very rich man, was an implacable foe of corporations. He was a great lover of antiques, and during his residence here he inherited the nation room. In many things he was regarded as an eccentric.

Mr. Van Wyck married a daughter of General Broadhead of Pennsylvania. Mr. Van Wyck had been in poor health for several years. About two years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis. His widow and daughter survive him.

Almost Ready For Presentation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Waller has not yet had an interview with the secretary of state because of the absence of her papers. She arrived yesterday, and she will go before the secretary of state with them in company with her attorney, as soon as he can classify the documents. The presentation which she will make is intended to establish the presumption of innocence on the part of her husband.

Passenger Train Meets Disaster.
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—The last mail passenger train on the Vandallia, due here at 1:30, was wrecked east of Indianapolis last night. The cars caught fire, but no further particulars were obtainable this morning.

From a Burned Vein.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Captain Gaskill and the crew of the burned City of Augusta arrived from Boston today. Captain Gaskill will make a full report to the owners and underwriters.

Fiftieth Birthday at the Hub.
DETROIT, Oct. 25.—The American Missionary association decided to hold its jubilee anniversary in celebration of its 50th year in Boston next October.

Army Officer Dead.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The war department announces the death at Bureka, Cal., yesterday, of Captain S. G. Whipple, U. S. A., retired.

Texas Town Badly Scorched.
DALLAS, Oct. 25.—Fire destroyed more than \$100,000 worth of property in the business part of McKinney yesterday.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.
Disastrous forest fires are raging in Wisconsin.

Two men were killed in a train wreck at Bailey's, Pa.

Pope Leo again urges England to return to Romanism.

A child set fire to its bed and was burned to death at Malden, Mass.

A Berlin Socialist paper predicts a free commonwealth in Poland.

The partially completed city hall of St. Louis is found to be unsafe.

The discovery of rich gold and silver mines excites Vancouver, B. C.

No trouble is feared from the Ute Indians now hunting in Colorado.

More of the Good Government club's candidates in New York may withdraw.

Sixty-four invalided French soldiers died on the way home from Madagascar.

The London News says the Monroe doctrine is misapplied in the Uruguian incident. The residence and buildings of Charles P. Cobb of Westbrook, Me., were burned, loss, \$7000.

RAILROAD GIANTS COMBINE THE NEW RAILROAD TRUST THE GREATEST EVER FORMED.

Combined Capital Enough to Give Every Inhabitant of the Land Over \$20—What Wall Street Says of the Pool—Business at Its Mercy.

The great railroad trust, which the presidents of nine of the important trunk lines have about completed, dwarfs all similar combinations of the past. The new trust incurs the union of hundreds of millions in outstanding securities and an attempt to make these bonds and stocks more valuable as dividend and interest earners.

The nine men back of it are the railroad princes of the world. Their word is law to hundreds of thousands of employees, and their decisions affect the value of millions upon millions of securities.

The following table shows the mileage, the capitalization and the funded debt of the nine members of the combine. There is mileage enough to stretch about six times around the continent, while the value of the listed securities foot up to over \$1,000,000,000, or between \$20 and \$35 for every inhabitant of the United States—about the per capita allowance of money under which the whole trade of the republic is carried on:

	Mileage.	Capital stock.	Funded debt.
Grand Trunk.....	3,511	\$200,000,000	\$120,000,000
Balt. and Ohio.....	2,096	75,244,000	12,550,774
Pennsylvania.....	2,715	129,271,650	85,490,000
Erie.....	1,970	86,273,000	77,044,125
N. Y. Central.....	2,550	95,275,400	67,777,526
Highland.....	1,043	65,255,000	70,007,790
Washington.....	1,070	74,720,000	57,000,000
Ches. and Ohio.....	1,582	60,572,400	64,101,811
D. C. and W.....	698	20,400,000	9,007,000
Totals.....	17,622	\$781,250,000	\$510,255,173

Grand total.....\$1,026,615,683
The table does not include the connected companies which go out into the other parts of the country as feeders of these trunk lines, such as the Northwest to the Vanderbilt system and the Nickel Plate and the others bringing up roads from the southwest and northwest to the coast reaching lines.

So far the interstate commission has done nothing. But it has been kept informed of the progress of the pool and knows that the organizers of the last great coalition, who have seen previous pools and dickers grow and wane, claim that it is entirely within the law. Indeed in their declaration they say that one of their objects is the carrying out of the provisions of the interstate commerce law.

But the history of this pool is full of accounts of fights by the commissioners against such combines of normally competing lines.

The promoters say that they intend merely to "change the rates" and let off excesses in the shape of special freight lines, express commissions, extra privileges, etc. There is plenty of field for this sort of pranking. The whole railroad business is permeated with profit sucking leeches.

Large systems have fast freight lines, which are nothing more than creations of the lines themselves for squeezing extra charges from the public.

The scamping business can only exist by and with the connivance of high officials in the roads.

The purchasing bureaus of the roads are homegrowned with this system of special profits and commissions.

All this may be cut off, but these best postal lock to profits, not by any such disorganization of the modern railroad system, but by the simple "adjustment of rates," which means a general meeting up of prices until the roads are satisfied they can get no more.

Wall street regards the new pool as a bull card. It is pointed out that it will put the traffic schedule makers in a position to get satisfactory rates for freight and passengers. That is, it will mean, according to the traditions of the railroad fraternity, "all that the traffic will bear."

For a long time it was uncertain whether the Grand Trunk of Canada would come into the pool. This subsidized line has always been in a position to upset any deal the American lines might propose. Consequently there was great rejoicing among the railroad presidents when it agreed to combine. It meant that the ring was complete and that the trade and business of the United States would be entirely at the mercy of the trust.

But every corporation in the combine is a chartered body, getting its power and prestige from some legislature, which can control it. And one of the roads is now doubly under the control of civil authorities, as it is in a receiver's hands—New York Central.

Her Teeth Punctured Her Tire.
A Chester (Pa.) lady, prominent in society, was spinning along the Danby road on her bicycle when a sudden sneeze sent her false teeth flying over the machine. Instantly dismounting, she searched in vain for the molars and reluctantly returned to the road, pedaling her wayward. The loss worried the lady, whose social functions were numerous, and as her teeth had often been admired a new set meant social oblivion for several days. While her pretty brow was drawn together in perplexity she noticed an existence on the tire, and dismounting a second time she was surprised and overjoyed to find the false teeth sticking like a burr in the pneumatic tire, which they had punctured.—Philadelphia Record.

Wanted News of the War.
"What's the latest news of the war?" was the surprising question that greeted the customs officers who boarded the ship William H. Connor as she sailed into Portland, Me., one day last week. The query was put by the captain, and the officers eyed him suspiciously until he explained that when he sailed from Kobi, Japan, on May 15th, the Chinese-Japanese war was in full swing, and he wanted to know how the fighters were getting along. The war had been over so long the customs officers had forgotten all about it.—New York Sun.

At the Grindin of the Cane.
The fair time, the dear time, is comin' round again.
When a feller'll meet his sweetheart at the grindin of the cane.
When bright eyes will be beamin' under bonnets coverin' ears,
An' we'll kinder think we're dreamin' while we're kissin of the girls!
Oh, sweet the cane juice drippin from the grindin mill,
An' sweet the red lips applin—but their lips is sweeter still!
An' the world is sugar coated, an' a feller can't be disappointed.
When he meets an' greets his sweetheart at the grindin of the cane!
—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.



"What are you thinking of, Madge?"
"Whether I would rather have you for a friend or Jack for a husband."
"Well, can't you have both?"
"That depends upon Jack."—Brooklyn Life.

Suspense Confirmed.
One of the principal men in the bureau of printing and engraving had a somewhat peculiar experience in New York recently. He had occasion to visit the metropolis on business, and after a stay of several days at one of the choicest hotels he called for his bill. When it was given him, he tendered in payment a brand new \$20 silver certificate. The clerk looked at it and then passed it back.

"What's the matter?" said the official.
"I can't take that," replied the clerk.
"I don't think it's good."
"Not good!" exclaimed the official.
"Not good!—Why, man, it's good. I made it myself."
"Yes," said the clerk, "so I thought."—Washington Post.

An Even Thing.
It has been said that all men are cowards in the dark, and there is doubtless some truth in the statement. Two officers of the British army in India had a difficulty which resulted in a duel.

The colonel, the challenged party, was an old campaigner who had won his laurels in the Crimea, and was a most gallant soldier. The choice of weapons being his, he named pistols, and elected that the affair should occur in a dark room.

We secured a room 80 feet square, says the narrator of the incident, closed every window, and then we placed our men in corners diagonally opposite, and withdrew.

Each man was provided with three charges, and when these were exhausted we rushed in to gather up the mutilated remains.

Each man stood erect and soldierlike in his corner, untouched, but directly behind the officer who had given the challenge were three bullet holes made by the colonel's pistol.

"How is this?" said a grizzled major. "If you're standing here when these shots were fired, you would have been killed."
The culprit was forced to admit that he had dropped to one knee.

"You are a coward, sir, and unfit for the company of soldiers and gentlemen!" cried the major.
"Hold on, major!" said the colonel. "It is a stand off. While he was on his knees in one corner, I was on my stomach in the other."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Particular.
"Are you the warden of this here jail?" he inquired as he leaned on the stock over which he had carried his load of goods.

"I am," was the reply.
"Well, how's the ventilation?"
"Why, good, of course."
"An' the food?"
"Same as usual."
"An' the water?"
"Of course not."
"Hot an' cold water in the rooms?"
"Not a bit."

"Well, they're time yet. Hustle round an' get things in shape. Ye know I've been a regular boarder with ye for many winters, but ye'ven't had ter git in a few modern improvements or I'd go to transfer me outom."—Washington Star.

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EXTRA

TRAINS COLLIDE

Express And Accommodation Met at Hyde Park.

THE BLOCK SIGNALS DID NOT WORK.

Two Killed And Twenty-Seven Badly Injured.

HYDE PARK, Mass., Oct. 25.—A head-on collision occurred here close by the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad station at 5:18 p. m. last evening, in which Brakeman Austin was killed and a woman was fatally injured, and 27 other passengers were more or less seriously hurt. The list of injured is as follows: Mrs. William Ross, Cambridge, fatally injured; Congressman Elijah A. Morse, Canton, both to head and arms badly cut; A. W. Bragg, Roxbury, forehead lacerated; Miss Ella Donovan, Boston, injured about the chest and nose; J. F. Maguire, Roxbury, injured about the head and face; Mrs. J. F. Maguire, injured about the head and face; Mrs. Mary Barnes, Malden, injured internally; Mrs. J. Barnes, Hyde Park, injured about the head and face; Mrs. Gannon, Cambridge, internal injuries; Thomas J. Burke, Northford station, injured about the head and face; William Foster, Charlestown, injured about the head and face; William H. Hoy, Roxbury, internal injury; Joseph Blais, Roxbury, internally injured.

The regular Mansfield accommodation train, due in Boston at 5:47, was just leaving the station, 10 minutes late, when the New London and Providence express, due in Boston at 5:43, came running down from Canton, Jamaica, on a perfectly straight track, and crashed into the rear of the Mansfield train.

The engine of the Providence train plowed into the rear car for a distance of five or six feet, and caused this car to telescope into the one ahead. Between these cars was Brakeman Austin, who was caught, and remained jammed in the wreck for nearly an hour.

As soon as the dazed people about the station realized what had occurred, a rush was made for the train, and the work of taking out the wounded began. A wrecking train, with General Superintendent Allen, was at the scene within half an hour. All the physicians in Hyde Park, Dedham and Milton were summoned by telephone, and the police department of Boston notified. Ambulances were sent out and others dispatched to the Park square station, Boston, to remove those of the wounded who were sent in to that city by special train.

All the seriously injured were sent to the Massachusetts general hospital in Boston. It was nearly 6:30 before the unfortunate brakeman could be extricated from the mass of debris between the telescoped cars, and he died shortly afterward in the station waiting room. Both his legs were broken and he was jammed tightly about the body.

In speaking of the wreck, General Superintendent Allen said: "Engineer Burdham must have deliberately run by two electric block signals showing red light, one of which is just north of the Revere station and the other south of the Hyde Park station. Besides this, the rear lights on the Mansfield train were burning, so that there can be no excuse for Burdham's negligence."

"The track was cleared within an hour after the accident, and the loss to the road is estimated at not over \$300."

All the passengers that were injured were in the rear car, with the exception of Mr. Rines, who was in the second car. Congressman Morse was not seriously injured, and returned home after his hands and arms were dressed.

The Engineer's Story. Both the engineer and fireman of the express stood to their posts. They were both injured, the fireman getting the worst of it with a cut in the head and a broken rib. The engineer got a lacerated head and was dazed. He is John H. Burdham of Boston, and he says the signals gave a clear track. The fireman's name was William Fort of Boston.

Mr. Burdham was found at his home late last night. He was sitting up in the midst of his family, and, but for his lame back, seemed fairly comfortable. "The signals said 'go ahead,'" he said, "and I never thought of anything being wrong. We were on time at Revere, and slowed down at the signal tower at that place, not knowing the orders that have been standing ever since we changed to the right-hand track."

"As the signals are not yet working, the man at the tower gave us the signals by hand and said: 'All right, go ahead.' The smoke blew down and hid the track ahead, so our own smoke was added, just before we entered Hyde Park station, the smoke from our engine, outboard, which had just pulled out."

"I didn't see anything of the other train until we were close to it—just at the bridge, in fact. Then I saw the lights on it. I never was in a tighter place in my life."

"I turned on the air immediately, jumping down from my seat as I did so. Then I reversed and drew her wide open. I didn't have time to open the sand-box. The fireman jumped down from his seat, too, and just then we struck."

"Both of us were struck. Against the boiler butt, and Hoyt fell on his back on the running board. The tender telescoped in and struck my back. If we had been in our seats we should have been killed."

"I have been driving an engine for 23 years and this is my first serious accident. On Christmas day, 1880, the side board of Mr. Burdham's machine broke and came bounding up directly under him, breaking the cab into kindling. For standing at his post in this time of peril the Massachusetts Humane society gave him a medal, which he now wears. It is said to be the only one ever given to a railroad man. Mr. Burdham refused to see a doctor last night, thinking his back would be all right today."

Stringent Regulations. ROCKLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—A violent epidemic of diphtheria is raging here. The public schools and places of amusement have been closed by the local board of health, and the infected district has been quarantined.

Feeling Said to Prevail With Cuban Insurgents.

THE TRUE STORY OF A GREAT BATTLE

As Told by a Member of the Cuban Junta.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 25.—A member of the Cuban junta, who travels for the cigar trade, and who was a colonel in the first Cuban revolution, reached Minneapolis yesterday.

While refusing his name to be mentioned, on the ground that the success of the junta's operations depended upon the secrecy of his movements, he nevertheless gave out more news than the junta has ever before given to the public.

Following is a dispatch he received last night from Cuba, describing the recent revolutionist victory which gave the control of the province of Puerto Principe to the insurgents:

"General Macco, acting under orders from the war minister, started to march from Santiago de Cuba to join General Sanchez in Las Villas, in the province of Santa Clara, where they were to unite their forces and ravage the sugar plantations. The Spanish fleet of General Macco's intentions and immediately dispatched a formidable column of 2800 men under General Echague to prevent the junction of the Cuban armies."

"This column found General Macco as far advanced on his way as the San Juan valley, in the south of Cuba, between Polguin and Baraguana. Macco had 3000 men, of which 500 were cavalry and 2500 infantry. The Spanish had 2900 men less. This difference was more than compensated for by the possession of three excellent pieces of artillery. The battle, which began at once, was fought by the Cubans with great fury. After four hours of terrific fighting, General Echague was driven from the field in disorderly retreat, leaving 600 killed and wounded men and all his artillery behind him. Since the battle, the insurgents have overrun Puerto Principe, and have effected a junction with General Sanchez at Las Villas."

The colonel said: "We are bound to win. We control three-fourths of the island now. Our men are armed now not only with the latest captured from the Spaniards, but also with Winchester and Remington guns from the United States. There are over 800 American officers in our army, and more are going every day. Only a few of the relief expeditions we are sending out get into the papers. We are planning a couple that will put a final quietus on the war."

"The Spaniards are fighting barbarously. They give no quarter, and kill the wounded. We are going to ask the United States for recognition when congress meets. Our president, Salvador Cisneros, has given the Cuban revolutionaries a letter of introduction to the United States. He has not arrived yet, and is probably having trouble in getting through the lines."

The United States has been asked to recognize the Cuban revolutionaries.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—At yesterday's proceedings of the conference of the United States and other liberal Christian churches, the annual election of officers resulted in the re-election of Senator Horace of Massachusetts as president; Rev. D. W. Moore of New York, treasurer; Carroll D. Wright, Massachusetts; T. J. Morgan, Baltimore; Dorman B. Eaton, New York; Roger Wolcott, Milton, Mass.; Horace Davis, San Francisco, and Daniel L. Shore, Chicago, vice presidents.

Sherman After the New York Boss. MANHATTAN, Oct. 25.—Senator Sherman was asked if he was a candidate for the presidency and answered emphatically no. He said McKinley would be the man. The senator continued: "The Republican party has been in the past, and is now again, but mark you, it will never listen to the voice of Tom Platt in its council chamber again. Platt is the Judas Iscariot of the Republican party. He is a traitor. He is dangerous to any civilized organization."

Good Work Appreciated. BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Elizabeth Turner, national president of the Woman's Relief corps, was given a reception last night in Faneuil hall by a large number of the Grand Army and the Woman's Relief corps of Massachusetts. Commander Thayer presided, and after a number of speeches by prominent members of both organizations, Mrs. Turner closed the evening with a brief address on the work of the Relief corps.

Master Steamfitters Give In. BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The steamfitters' strike was brought to a close yesterday by compromise through the intervention of the state board of arbitration, the master steamfitters agreeing to concede the eight hours' workday as soon as present contracts have terminated next May. The strike was inaugurated Sept. 3 last.

Twelve Years For Manslaughter. LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 25.—Jeremiah Dorgan, indicted for manslaughter, in causing the death of Maurice Lano, was yesterday sentenced to 12 years in state prison. Dorgan stabbed Maurice Lano through the heart at the latter's home in this city on May 11.

Has Fled to Canada. NIAGARA FALLS, Oct. 25.—E. G. Marshall of Boston, who has figured largely in building operations here within the past six months, has fled to Canada. His liabilities exceed his assets by over \$80,000. While here Marshall lived a fast life.

Millard Is Dying. LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—Lieutenant Governor Millard is unconscious. He remained in a comatose state for half an hour last night and then became delirious. It is thought the end is very near.

Victim of Trolley Car. NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 25.—William Perkins, 9 years of age, was killed by an electric car yesterday afternoon. He tumbled in front of the car while playing.

Date Martin's Choice. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—David Martin says that at the meeting of the Republican national committee in Washington on Dec. 10 he will vote for Pittsburg as the place for holding the meeting of the national convention next year.

No Comparison. No printing establishment in this city compares with the one of J. P. Martin in its mechanical equipment and the excellence of its work. Did you ever try it?

Every man deems that he has precisely the trials and temptations which are the hardest of all others for him to bear, but they are so simply because they are the very ones he most needs.—Mrs. L. M. Childs.

To keep a race horse in even moderate condition in England, with proper attendants, costs \$250 a year.

On Echoing Shores. On echoing shores the nice deers Of garb and guise no longer teem; No fragrance the soul enslaves; The bore in vain an answer craves, And duns may clamor as they please.

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CASTOR OIL FOR JACK TARS.

Thousands of Gallons Sold to Captains Who Doctor Their Crews.

Just below the Produce Exchange is a neat looking drug store which has a peculiar line of trade. The proprietor has been in the business almost a quarter of a century, and if the adventurous youths who hanker to be sailor boys only knew how many thousand gallons of castor oil the druggist had doled out in his time to ships' captains the said youths would decide to hunt adventures on land.

This drug store fits out ships with medicines. Anybody who has had any experience with the merchant service knows that the captain is usually the only M. D. aboard, and that his knowledge was never gained in any college of pharmacy or medicine. In the office of the United States shipping commission is filed a record of the trip of every ship that takes a crew from United States ports. It is virtually a private diary kept by the captain for the benefit of the government. No matter what happens, the amount and number of the doses of medicine administered to the crew and to each individual of it are set down, with the minutest details. It appears from these diaries that the most popular and potent medicine known to captains is good old fashioned castor oil.

No matter what is the trouble with Jack, he gets castor oil. None of the newfangled variations of it is prescribed. The proprietor of the drug store bears out this statement. He says that more castor oil is administered to sailors than any other medicine, unless it may be salts and kenna. No captain will sail without a liberal supply of both. Oftentimes a captain has reason to believe some of his crew are shamming illness, and then the castor oil is administered in doses to bring any man to his sober senses.

Among the medicines in the captain's chest are rhubarb, quinine, Jamaica ginger and paregoric and certain old fashioned patent medicines. No modern discoveries in this line are allowable. So this druggist keeps on hand for his shipping patrons a potent medicine that the modern patent medicine fiend never heard of, yet date so far back.

Little sugar pills don't go with captains. Medicine is administered to a sailor with the idea that the worse it tastes the more apt the sick man is to think it is curing him. Sailors scorn little sugar coated pills.—New York World.

A Good Natured Emperor. It was a few evenings before the emperor's departure for the Franco-American war, General de Cotte was on duty at the time, and after dinner went down to the smoking room set apart for the military and civil household. "The thing is settled," he said, lighting a cigarette. "In a day or two we shall be on our way to Italy, unless Providence and the lunacy commission stop us at the first stage at Cherbourg." (Cherbourg is the Paris madhouse.) Half an hour later the general went up stairs to the emperor's drawing room. He had scarcely entered the apartment when the emperor came up to him with a smile. "My dear general," he remarked quietly, "I have too much respect for the opinion of others, even when they are diametrically opposed to mine, to ask people to fight battles the causes for which they do not approve. You will remain in Paris with the emperor."

That did not suit the general's book at all, but he did not utter a word in defiance. He only bowed. He was, in fact, too astonished at his comment having reached the ears of the emperor so soon. As far as he was aware, no servant had entered the room while he was there. He was then reluctantly compelled to conclude that an angel had played the part of tell-tale, and that alone would convey a fair idea of the code of honor that obtains among the immediate entourage of the sovereigns. Nevertheless he was not going to be left out of the fighting, so on the 14th of May he simply had his horse and baggage taken to the imperial train, selected a seat in an empty compartment, and only showed his face at Versailles. The emperor merely smiled and held out his hand. This is a sample of the emperor's amiability, of his willingness to let bygones be bygones.—North American Review.

A Story of Monte Carlo. In the good old days of M. Blanc it was the custom, so the story goes, directly a novice was found to stuff his pockets full of bank notes. This was done to provide that his losses at play were not the cause of his hurried departure from the shores of Monte Carlo.

Large Sled Wastes. With the exception of the A. R. U. and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers I do not call to mind any labor organization that draws the color line. The K. of L. never did. On the contrary, it fought some bitter battles in defense of the colored workers. The A. R. U. of L. which represents the real labor movement of the country (outside of railway employees) admits no national union unless the color line is abolished.

The machinists furnish an illustration. For years the A. F. of L. barred them because they drew the color line, and it was organized a rival association. The machinists recently abolished the color line and were admitted to the A. F. of L. Era Med. Valesh in Minneapolis Tribune.

She Wanted Samples. "Is this where you vote?" said an Ohio votress to an election officer. "Yes, ma'am."

"Then please cut off samples of all the tickets, and I'll take them home and see which I like best."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Every man deems that he has precisely the trials and temptations which are the hardest of all others for him to bear, but they are so simply because they are the very ones he most needs.—Mrs. L. M. Childs.

To keep a race horse in even moderate condition in England, with proper attendants, costs \$250 a year.

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"I've been two weeks in Paris and have eaten nothing but chicken—I know what that is in French. If I only knew how to ask for corned beef and cabbage, I would change my diet."

BOWLING NEWS. Did you ever notice that when you struck the head pin and it looked like a strike, numbers 7 and 10 remained standing?

"Tommy" Ryan the young man who represents Haverhill in the new league says his team will be composed of crack-jacks.

On the Stanley alleys in Lawrence, Thomas Eastham, who will probably be a member of one of Frank Stanley's teams put up a total of 972.

Sparks and Beauregard will be found on the Miserable team this year.

Ed. Morse says that his team will include the best players in Nashua. He also denies the story that "Jim" McLaughlin will manage the team.

The Old Guards defeated Jewett & Swift's team on the Olympic alleys last evening by the following totals: Old Guard—Gray, 518; McKillop, 452; Ryan, 387; McSorley, 454; Saunders, 481; total 2232.

Jewett & Swifts—Sheehy, 467; Clark, Broadbent, 452; Chelken, 446; Perry, 387; total 2218.

The Methuen bowlers rubbed it into the Yelpers and their own alleys last evening. It is something unusual for the Yelpers boys to be beaten at home, but the visitors did it handsomely. The score: Methuens—Batham 456, Butters 570, Lewis 561, Tenney 454, Bruce 544; total 2632.

Vespers—Swift 447, Grover 518, Bean 472, Stiles 546, Perry 530; total 2232.

In a practice game on Les Miserables alleys last evening, a picked team which may represent Les Miserables in the league, made the following scores: Swift, 477, Sparks 484, Fullerton 537, Farrell 548, Beauregard 575; total 2621. The team string totals were 823, 989 and 837. Beauregard was the star of the game.

Another Indictment Against Smith. BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The United States grand jury reported yesterday, and brought in another indictment against Rev. Hyatt Smith. It is placed on the secret files of the office.

Two Good Offices to Let in our building, corner Palmer and Merrimack streets. Apply at store.

Two Days' Special Offerings in Blankets, Comfortables and Flannels

Several cases of Blankets, slightly soiled in manufacture, have been delivered to us from the mills this week and will be placed on sale today. The prices will be much less than asked for regular goods, and the quality of goods are A1.

At 49c. a pair—5 cases white and gray Blankets, 10-4 size.
At 69c. a pair—5 cases of white Blankets, 11-4 size, sold regularly in perfect condition, \$1.25.
At \$2.98 a pair—3 cases white wool Blankets, 11-4 size, and sold when perfect, \$4.25.
At \$3.49 a pair—3 cases of white wool Blankets, 11-4 size, sold when perfect, \$5.
At \$5.59 a pair—2 cases fine California All-Wool Blankets, never before offered less than \$8.

A Special Lot of Horse Blankets AT 50c. ON THE DOLLAR
Elegant patterns, large sizes, manufacturers' samples. It will pay owners of horses to examine this lot.

BARAINS IN COMFORTABLES
At \$1 each—We will offer today five bales of large size Comfortables, well made and equal to anything sold in previous seasons at \$1.50.

At \$2.25 each—We will offer a special lot of fine Comfortables, covered both sides with French sateen, filled with clean batting and worth \$3 if you made it at home.

FLANNELS.
Scotch, Saxony and French Flannels in stripes and solid colors, from 12c. to 50c. per yard.
Special attention is invited to our assortment of Down Puffs in dainty designs in French sateen coverings, \$4.79 each.

DON'T STOP TOBACCO

It is injurious to stop suddenly. Any remedy requiring this is a substitute, not a cure. If you stop suddenly you must have a stimulating-opium, morphine or harmful drug, leaving a far worse habit than tobacco using. Ask your druggist about BACO-CURO. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless. It will notify you when to stop. It destroys all desire for tobacco, and leaves your system as free from nicotine as on the day before you first smoked or chewed. An ironclad, written guarantee given, absolutely to cure the tobacco habit in all its forms or to refund the money with 10 per cent. interest. Price \$1 per box; 3 boxes (30 days' treatment and guaranteed cure) \$2.50. For sale by all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price. SEND FOR FREE BOOKLET, PROOFS AND TESTIMONIALS.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., Manufacturing Chemists, LA CROSSE, WIS.
Offices of THE PIONEER PRESS COMPANY, C. W. HORNICK, Supl. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 7, 1894.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Dear Sir:—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being. I tried the so-called "Kinky Cures," "No-Tox," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo," and having used it for a few days, I feel perfectly cured, and today I consider myself completely cured. I am in perfect health, and my preparation for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it. Yours very truly, C. W. HORNICK.

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It Is Just What You Want.

John M. Pevey PROPRIETOR, NOS. 35-37—MIDDLE STREET.

SEED AND BULBS
For Your Garden.
FARM AND GARDEN TOOLS.
Callahan & Sanborn
RUNELS' BUILDING, Merrimack Square, Cor. Bridge Sts.

ENGLISH CAPITAL FOR AMERICAN INVESTMENTS.
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.
ALMAZAO FOR FRIDAY, OCT. 25.
Sun rises 6:10; moon sets 11:02 PM.
Lowest of day, 53; full, 54; 145 PM.
Forecast for New England: Fair; south-
westerly winds; slightly warmer.

LOCAL NEWS.
Eliens lodge met last evening and arranged for union rallies in the interest of no-license.

The ladies of Grace Universalist church gave a chicken supper at the church vestry on Shattuck street last evening.

The New England Telephone and Telephone company met Wednesday and declared a dividend of \$1.25 per share.

German and American glass, single and double thick, for building and hot house purposes, always in stock. Colburn's, Market street.

A party of 85 members of Highland union, Sabbath lodge, went to Lawrence, last night, and were the guests of Crystal Sabbath lodge of that city.

Off for Europe.
The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to leave New York tomorrow for Europe on the Cunard line steamer Campania: Mr. Hamlet Pearson, James P. Martin, Patrick O'Day, Daniel O'Day and Edward Scullion.

Washington Correspondent, U. S. O. C.
Washington Correspondent, Golden Cross, met last evening and made arrangements for celebrating its 15th anniversary on Nov. 14. The feature will be an art lecture by Miss Mabel G. Foster of Boston, who is the daughter of Rev. Adolphus Foster, former pastor of the Eliot church of this city, and a granddaughter of Rev. E. B. Foster, who was pastor for many years of the John street church. Her subject will be "A glimpse of Boston studies," and she will show a large collection of pictures. The committee of arrangements consists of Arthur L. Gray, Mrs. F. C. Austin, Marion Gregg, Wallace A. Corey, Mr. F. J. Vigness and Harry Gray.

What Mr. Nichols Says.
LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 24, 1895.
Editor THE SUN:—One of the peculiarities of a political campaign seems to be the strange and mysterious rumors put in circulation about the personality of the candidates. It has been brought to my notice, since my acceptance of the prohibition nomination for senator, that a rumor, which I have traced to its source, is being secretly but extensively circulated that I am about to join the Catholic church and am also opposed to the public school system.

It seems hardly necessary to say that these statements are false and ridiculous. Religiously, I am probably as far from the Catholic church as the North Pole from the South, while, as to the public school system, I have always been an ardent supporter of it, and I have traced to its source, is being secretly but extensively circulated that I am about to join the Catholic church and am also opposed to the public school system.

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RUSSIA'S DESIGN

Is to Capture Korea If Possible.

HER SHIPS HEADED IN THAT DIRECTION.

Speculation as to the outcome at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The cable reports that a Russian fleet of 15 vessels was on its way to Korea attracted much attention yesterday among the diplomatic representatives of the far East to whom it was shown. It is regarded as presenting grave conditions, if the facts are as represented.

The fact that Russia is one of the points toward which the Russians are heading is pointed out as especially significant. Russia is at the southeastern extremity of Korea, and is the point nearest to Japan, being only 12 hours' sail from the Japanese mainland. Further north is Wonsan, the strategic point in Korea which the Russians have long sought to secure. It is on Broughton's bay, in the middle of the east coast of Korea. The north arm of the bay is known as Port Lazarev, and here the Russian fleet comes regularly for maneuvers. The bay is the only useful harbor in the stretch of 600 miles along the east coast of Korea. The harbor is perfectly sheltered, and is open to the sea at low tide. The Russians are now in the process of fortifying it, and it will ultimately be the terminus of the trans-Siberian railway which Russia is building.

For these reasons the movements of the Russian fleet toward these points of strategic importance is watched with keen interest.

Wrecked in Boston Harbor.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Schooner William H. Cross of this port, Captain Lawson, arrived yesterday in a badly damaged condition, having been in collision with the schooner Chilton of Portsmouth, N. H. The accident occurred just outside Boston harbor. Just how the collision happened is not explained, but the Cross struck the Chilton on the port side, and she sank almost immediately. Her captain and crew were rescued. They refused to be taken off by a sail vessel and rowed up Boston harbor in their own boat.

The Colt Divorce Scandal.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—James M. Ripley, Ruthless Gardner and Richard Comstock, counsel for Mrs. Samuel P. Colt, met to conference at Mr. Comstock's office yesterday, together with Mrs. Colt. Immediately after the meeting the party started for New York. It is stated that Colonel Colt, accompanied by friends, is also in that city. The writ, calling for Van Allen's arrest, was yesterday given to High Sheriff De Blos of Newport county, and was taken to Newport. It will be served today.

To Work For Almost Nothing.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Khayli Gorgian and half a dozen other Armenians from Carpena admitted yesterday to the board of special inquiry at Ellis island that they had come to America under contract to work in the shoe factories of Lynn, Mass. They had been furnished with free tickets and about \$10 each. They were under contract to work for \$5 a week. The men arrived on La Champagne, and they will be sent back on her.

Railroad Accident at Saco.
SACO, Me., Oct. 25.—A freight train from Portland ran into the engine of an east-bound freight train at Saco on the Boston and Maine road yesterday afternoon. The engine was on the main track, and the freight train was on a side track, but the switch failed to work. Both engines were somewhat damaged and one left the tracks. Nobody was injured.

Hold by the Wilkisons.
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25.—The Liverpool Post claims to have discovered the head of Oliver Cromwell in the possession of the Wilkison family of Seneca, Eng. Samuel H. Church, author of the "Life of Cromwell," says the existence of the head has been known for fully 100 years, and competent judges believe it to be genuine.

Lost on the Banks.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Captain Gault, of the schooner Griffin, which reported four of the crew lost while tending trawls at the Grand Banks fishing grounds, has received word that Ed. Carrigan and Isaac Little, two of the missing men, have been picked up by the schooner Puritan.

Two Walkers Killed by Two Terrys.
NASHVILLE, Oct. 25.—Dibrell Walker of Cookeville was shot and killed here yesterday by young Terry, also of Cookeville. Terry had been told that Walker's brother-in-law, the mountains, and since then there has been bad blood between the families.

Wrecked Off St. Johns.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Schooner B. Walsh, from Boston, for Sidney, C. B., in ballast, was totally wrecked at St. Johns island, near Yarmouth.

Back From Atlanta.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—President Cleveland and cabinet officials arrived from Atlanta at 8:10 o'clock last evening.

To Run to Portland.
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—The collector of this port was officially informed yesterday that the Allan line of steamers will run between Portland and Liverpool this winter, and that the first steamer will arrive here Nov. 17.

Again in the Water.
BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The Ammen ram Katabian was taken from the dry dock at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday and moved off the pier. General Hyde said he thought the ram would make the requisite 17 knots.

Thrown From Cars.
SALEM, Mass., Oct. 25.—Peter Barcy, a trainman, was at work on some coal cars when a freight was shunted down against them, throwing him off the rear car, and several cars passed over his head and arms.

Decrease in Coal Shipments.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Statistics of the coal shipments of Nova Scotia for the nine months ending September, 1895, compared with the same period in 1894, show a large falling off.

Alleged Violation of Fishery Laws.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—The American fishing schooner John L. Nicholson, Captain Sutherland, was seized yesterday by the collector of customs at Canso for violation of the fishery laws.

Well Known by Travelers.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—Thomas Davonport, a prominent hotel keeper in this state and Massachusetts for the past 25 years, died here yesterday from brain's disease.

LOCAL NEWS.

Old Hundred 10c. cigar.
T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bldg. The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Twenty-five pianos to select from at Steiner's, 51 Merrimack street.
Miss Mary Joyce of Emerson college is ready to receive pupils in physical culture and domestic privately or in classes. For further particulars call or address, 205 Lakeview avenue.

Collision on Bridge Street.
A white horse attached to a buggy belonging to Charles Belanger ran away from Centralville this morning at 8 o'clock and collided with a tree at the corner of Bridge and Paige streets. The buggy was badly damaged.

Music For the School Board.
The school board was treated last night to an exhibition of the music of the American system of music. Prof. Knappe explained the system to the members many of whom seemed highly pleased and greatly impressed with it.

Mr. Ruddy's Lecture.
Mr. Daniel A. Ruddy of Detroit, Mich., will give a free lecture in Huntington hall, Sunday evening, Oct. 27. Mr. Ruddy is a highly educated colored gentleman and is the editor of the American Catholic Tribune, the only Catholic paper in this country published by the colored people.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.
"Great Jesuitical Jesuitical McCarthy is the name of the man who has just been elected in Nashville, Tenn."—Nashville Telegram.

Well, what of that, neighbor? Dalton McCarthy is the leader of the Canadian Orangemen. A countryman of his named Treavor, is president of the American Protective association. Peter Fitzpatrick is the New Hampshire state organizer of the "United American Mechanics," and a descendant of the Puritans named Callahan is a prominent member of one of the local lodges of the order. "Put none but Americans on guard."

The sole cause of England's tenacious hold on Venezuela soil is that traces of gold have been found where England has placed her camp. She surmises that she can dig up nuggets there if she can make good her title.

"Did you ever hear how the crossing at grade of two railroad lines came to be called a 'know-nothing crossing'?" I thought not. The term is in common use the country over, but I'll be a good fellow and not mention it in every ten thousand that employ it in every day conversation know its origin.

The veteran railway man crossed one leg over the other knee, lighted his cigar afresh, and in answer to requests for an explanation went on:

"Years ago—I don't remember how many, for I'm not posted on political dates—the Know Nothing party, which, so far as I can learn, was very similar in its tenor to the A. P. A. of today, carried the state election here in Massachusetts and got control of the legislature. One day a member of the house, a clergyman and a Know-nothing, offered a bill in relation to grade crossings of railroads. I cannot recall the exact phraseology of the whole measure, but it provided in effect that when two trains were simultaneously approaching such a crossing, each should stop until the other passed. Now, you believe it, the bill passed the House before anybody discovered that under its provisions, if one read, the railroads of Massachusetts would be filled with stalled trains, each waiting until the other passed. But when the measure came before the senate somebody 'got on' and exposed the absurdity of the bill, and it was put into the shape it bears at the present time. The newspapers, as well as the legislators, made a lot of fun out of the thing, and when somebody called the intersection of two railroads at grade a 'know-nothing crossing' the appropriateness of the name was immediately recognized, and it passed into common use."

"The Boston Herald has an editorial on 'The Lost Art of Sewing,' and says the new woman displaces the needle. Alas for the buttons that will always stay on. Will some philanthropic inventor come forward with a machine that will do as a substitute for the needle? It will soon be one of the crying needs of the hour."

A couple who were married on May 5 of this year and separated Aug. 17, presented themselves before Judge Fryer in New York asking for a divorce. It was refused, as the ground for the suit was not given matrimony a fair trial. Five months, the judge held, was not a sufficient length of time in which to prove marriage a failure.

A Maine editor has sent little Marion Cleveland a poodle. This makes the Galveston News to remark that most editors have been giving her father pointers.

RUSSIA'S DARING

Secures Control of Manchuria by Diplomacy.

THE OTHER GREAT POWERS MAY INTERPOSE To Prevent the Destruction of Balance of Power.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The correspondent of The Times at Hong Kong learns that by the recently concluded Russo-China treaty Russia obtains rights to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur, and to construct and work under Russian administration railroads from Nanchang and Tsingtao and Yankow, and from Tientsin to Port Arthur, together with other commercial advantages to which the most favored nation clause is not applicable.

In an editorial, commenting upon its dispatch from Hong Kong, The Times this morning says: Our correspondent has close relations with men who are able to penetrate beneath the surface of things. His startling news, therefore, cannot be disregarded, even as is too probable, though it is followed by an official denial. Russia cannot possibly imagine that on a charge of excesses during the recent Amourolia riots show that the 50 culprits, after a trial, were conveyed by night aboard a Turkish man-of-war, whose boats took them into the swiftest current and dropped them overboard. Those measures have entirely broken the spirit of the revolutionaries. Hassan Pasha, minister of marine, is also suspected and is closely watched.

News From Honolulu.
HONOLULU, Oct. 25.—The board of health has lifted the quarantine, and Honolulu is once more a clean port. Now that the cholera trouble is over, the government will take up the claims of the British, arising out of the January rebellion. Minister Hatch is preparing the government's defense. The sinking of testimony in the Craunston suit against the Vancouver steamer Warrimou will commence tomorrow. Craunston wants \$30,000 for being forcibly taken from this country.

No Signs of Reform.
ST. JOHN'S, N. E., Oct. 25.—The promised arrests of smugglers hang fire. Smugglers and their friends threaten shocking disclosures if the prosecution goes ahead. The board of revenue insist that the cases should be tried before them, and therefore in the government ranks shows no signs of healing.

Insurance Companies' Losses.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—A statement of losses sustained in Nova Scotia by the insurance companies, made up to Oct. 10, indicates \$124,000, as against \$112,000 last year, an increase of nearly 10 per cent.

THAT MANITOBA TROUBLE

MAY BE SETTLED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT.

For a Settlement of the Parochial School War in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 25.—Archbishop Langevin, the head of the Roman Catholic church in this province, has submitted a proposition to Premier Greenway and the Manitoba government, it is reported, for a compromise in the parochial school war, and the compromise is to be accepted. The terms are understood to be these: Catholic separate schools may be established, but will receive no financial aid from the government. The Catholics, however, are not to be taxed for the support of the Protestant public schools. The Catholic school board will be supplied with machinery to impose taxes on all Catholics for parochial schools, except where a Catholic parent prefers to send his children to the public schools.

In brief, the proposition is that Catholics be not taxed for public schools, but be compelled to pay the total cost of the maintenance of parochial schools. Such a compromise, it is thought, will satisfy both Catholics and Protestants, and end the struggle.

Knappe's Explanation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knappe has written an open letter to Senator Chandler in reply to the latter's criticism of the new trunk line agreement. Mr. Knappe reiterates his assertion that the detection and punishment of crimes created by the interstate commerce statute is only an incident to the scheme and aim of "regulation," a feature with which the commission has no power to deal. He adds that the courts seem to have reached a conclusion different from the view taken by Senator Chandler that the alleged agreement that the trunk lines are able to enter into is illegal and criminal under either the anti-pooling or anti-trust laws.

Old Records Laid Low.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The record-breaking train between New York and Chicago reached this city last night at 10:15 p. m. The time between New York and Chicago is laid out at 17 h. 45 m. 25 s. The distance being 930 miles. A representative of the Chicago Tribune brought a paper published in Chicago yesterday morning. This is the first time a Chicago paper has ever been seen in New York on the day of publication.

Authorities Will Investigate.
AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 25.—County Solicitor Hoyt of Kingston, N. H., has taken up the glove poisoning case at Amherst, N. H. Professor Angell has reported that he has found morphine in the stomach of Sussie Glover. It is probable that the remains of the Glover boy, who died a year ago, will now be exhumed, as the symptoms at his death were the same as that of the girl who died last month. Startling developments are expected.

J. M. BOOK'S New Vienna Bakery CONSOLIDATED.
All orders for churches, societies, etc. received at "The Spa," corner Merrimack and Prescott Streets, and at new establishment, corner Lakeview Avenue and Book Street, opposite August Fels.

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Framed Pictures, Paintings, Pastels, Water Colors, Artotypes, Etchings and Engravings. FRAMES FRAMED TO ORDER. A new line of Mountings. Have just received a new line of Catholic Prayer Books.

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\$5.00. Here you can buy a fine Black Kersey Coat, with wide stitched seams, rayed, a fine young man's garment at a low price. We have extra sizes for big men up to 50, breast.

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Boys' Overcoats \$1.50 to \$8.
Cape coats for boys are here in great variety in the fashionable styles and mixtures. Our assortment is large and our prices are right.

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Our Boys' Ulsters are made with a view to the comfort as well as the appearance of the boys who show a varied line and our prices are at the bottom notch.

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Asked For Death Sentence.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Assistant District Attorney Flaxton yesterday made the opening argument for the prosecution in the trial of Dr. Druhan. He discussed the evidence in the case from the time Dr. Druhan accompanied Miss Lamont to school on the morning of April 8 until he appeared before Organ King in Emanuel church at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, pale, trembling and excited. He closed by asking the jury to uphold the laws of the state by rendering a verdict of guilty and fixing the penalty at death.

Declared to Be Forgeries.
SANTA FE, Oct. 25.—The court of private land claims adjourned yesterday till March. A formal decision, finally rejecting the Fernalt land grant in southern New Mexico and Arizona, claiming 12,500,000 acres, worth at least \$35,000,000, was handed down. The court held that no alleged claimant, Miguel de Fernalt, baron of the Colorado, existed, and that the grant papers are forgeries. Reavis, who is now in jail here, on a charge of presenting a fraudulent claim against the government, says he will appeal the case to the United States supreme court.

Went Hurt as Much.
ATLANTA, Oct. 25.—Two hundred and fifty members of the New England Manufacturers' association met at the Auditorium at the exposition yesterday. This is the organization's 51st session, and it was the first that had ever been held outside the New England states. President Goodale presided at the business meeting. Mayor King and President Collier of the exposition welcomed the visitors to Atlanta. The association will spend several days here.

Fought to the Death.
HOUSTON, Oct. 25.—Sidney Lane, a Southern Pacific brakeman, and Conductor Neville had a desperate duel yesterday. Neville was struck three times, and died in an hour. Lane was hit twice and died this morning. After firing five shots each, the men clinched and beat each other over the head and face with their pistols in a horrible manner. Neville refused to let Lane run on his train because he disobeyed orders.

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The Recipes Illustrated at Yesterday's Lectures. MESDAIKS HILL AND BATES CONTINUE THEIR LESSONS

In Scientific Cooking and Household Economics.

The cooking school at Mechanics hall, yesterday, was attended by a very select audience both afternoon and evening. In the evening especially the attendance was large many wealthy ladies being present with one or more of their servants.

Baked halibut steaks—Wash and dry two halibut steaks; butter a fish sheet, lay thin slices of salt pork upon it. Place a steak upon the pork, pour lemon juice over it and dust with salt and pepper. Dip oysters (one-half pint), in melted butter and then in cracker crumbs and place upon the fish. Place the second steak over the oysters, season as before, laying slices of pork on top. Bake 20 or 40 minutes, basting three or four times with the juice in the pan and lastly with melted butter. Remove pork on the top and cover with buttered crumbs. Serve when the crumbs are browned, garnished with parsley and slices of lemon, with Hollandaise sauce made as follows:

Hollandaise sauce—Beat one-half cup of butter till soft and creamy. Add the yolk of four eggs, one by one, and beat until they are blended with the butter. Add 1-2 tablespoonfuls lemon juice, one salt-poorful salt, few grains cayenne. Beat till smooth. Then beat the mixture with the Dover egg beater for five minutes, set into a dish of boiling water and cook till thick and creamy. Add one-third of a cupful boiling water and cook till thick and creamy. Beat the mixture with the Dover egg beater for five minutes, set into a dish of boiling water and cook till thick and creamy. Beat the mixture with the Dover egg beater for five minutes, set into a dish of boiling water and cook till thick and creamy.

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G. O. P. RALLY

Lieut. Gov. Wolcott and Congressman McCall

SPEAK TO A SMALL CROWD AT HUNTINGTON HALL. They Deal Mostly With National Issues.

There was something very frosty about the republican rally in Huntington hall, last evening. It was a rally, and then again it wasn't. There were speakers there and they spoke, but the audience was cold, very cold, and there was a lack of that enthusiasm which in the past has characterized rallies in this city, both democratic and republican.

But there is a reason for this lack of enthusiasm; it is attributable to the evasive campaign being waged by the republicans. Last night, not once was reference made to the corporation, or home rule, or the democratic platform; rather were the speakers inclined to talk on national affairs, the state bank issue in particular. The mention of Governor Greenhalge's name elicited but faint applause. He was in striking contrast with the thrills with which his name was greeted last year. Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman Killeen called to order, read a long list of vice presidents from every ward in the city and introduced John W. Stevens, Esq., as presiding officer. When Mr. Stevens commenced the body of the hall was nearly filled, but in the gallery more than one-half the seats were vacant. There were about 25 ladies present and Mr. Stevens' opening speech and it was easy to tell that the rally was a republican one because of the large number of ladies present. He said that as sure as the sun would rise on Nov. 5, Hon. Frederick T. Greenhalge will be elected for a third term. He then said a kind word for Senator Foss and introduced Lieut. Gov. Wolcott as "the coming man."

The lieutenant governor was certainly accorded a very warm reception. Among other things he said: "At this hour last night it was my pleasure to be on the platform of a great gathering of the republicans of this city. Among the speakers was that fearless, sturdy leader, whose name is known throughout the land, Theodore Roosevelt. I wish that every one of you could have heard that speech. It was a bugle call as he thundered forth that whether defeated or not, he would not raise a fingerweight from the effort to purge New York of corruption. Then he praised the New York man, complimenting him in the highest terms for the work he is doing. Speaking of the Hon. John E. Russell's speech at Dedham, he said: "He made my statement that a plank in the democratic platform of 1892 favoring the repeal of state bank taxes on state banks. Before Mr. Russell got gunning again he had better look to his cartridge, lest he be blank. "I believe that the republican party, long the custodian of the honor of the republic, will wait long before it exchanges the notes redeemable in gold by government for notes depending on the stability of the 44 state legislatures. So I say that this policy of the democratic party is a menace to the prosperity of the country."

"I might speak of foreign policy. I believe the people demand that the United States flag shall protect Americans everywhere. I believe that the Monroe doctrine should be more strongly asserted, and that the armed occupation of the countries south of the United States should cease. This last sentiment called for applause. In conclusion, the lieutenant governor, devoted considerable attention to the governor's council, denouncing strongly, and discountenancing the idea of its abolition. Congressman McCall of Winchester was then introduced and during his speech, went South to state his belief in the fact that the armed occupation of the countries south of the United States should cease. "You have a splendid state ticket, from top to bottom. There is material for more than one governor there, and I think that you will find one who is chosen as the successor of Governor Greenhalge the man who has just spoken here. "In 1892 the country was in great prosperity, and it had not resulted in production of a piled-up surplus of goods. Dun and Bradstreet reported that the markets were low. "Mr. Cleveland came in and found this magnificent prosperity. Instead of being carved up for a dish fit for the gods, it was huckered up into a mess for the hounds. In his first administration Mr. Cleveland kept the reserve at \$100,000,000 in gold, and it was maintained by Mr. Harrison and \$107,000,000 turned over to Mr. Cleveland. The second time he was elected he then touched upon the repeal of the state bank tax and his finale on the financial talk was: "We are the richest country in the world, but we were humiliated by the contract that a syndicate of private bankers should protect the national treasury. Three cheers were given for the ticket and the speakers of the evening and then the voters dispersed. It was probably the tamest rally ever held in Huntington hall by either of the leading parties.

MATRIMONIAL.

Miss Cora M. Knox of this city and Mr. J. F. Pulsifer of Salem were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. Seymour at the First Baptist parsonage, Wednesday afternoon. They will reside in Salem. Benedict-Gordon. The marriage of Mr. Charles S. Branchard and Miss Emma Lohmeier occurred at St. Jean Baptiste church, Wednesday, Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. L., performing the ceremony. A reception was held at the bride's house, 687 Middlesex street, and later a supper was served at the groom's home, 97 Branch street. Many beautiful presents were received. The Strike Settled. LAWRENCE, Oct. 24.—The proprietors of the foundries here have agreed to grant the requests of the local iron and brass moulders for an increase in wages, including the establishment of \$2.50 as the minimum day's pay, the abolition of piece work and recognition of the union.

PROBATE COURT.

McIntire, J. Wills presented for probate: Rozina Howe, Billerica; Mary Goss, Ayer; Mary Kelley, Lowell; L. E. Eames, Wilmington; Austin Blodgett, Hudson, N. H. Administrations: Bridget McCabe, Lowell; Lucy Drew, Maynard; Elizabeth Coughlin, Sudbury; H. P. Towne, Townsend; Henry Haynes, Acton; Sarah Childs, Ayer; Mary Robertson, Lowell; Ashur Mansur, Lowell; Mary Wilson, Billerica.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

The Aldermen Had No Meeting Last Evening. No meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening, because no quorum was present. Aldermen Wilson and Tryer were the only ones present at city hall, so Mayor Courtney declared the meeting adjourned. Supt. Bray's men have commenced the work of erecting the election booths. L. A. Down, a special census agent, called at the assessor's office, Tuesday, and made inquiries relative to the census.

PETER A. FAY, RSQ.

Will Be Out Against the County Ring Next Week. Next week the campaign will wax lively in this county. Peter A. Fay candidate for county commissioner will take the stump and promise to make some revelations of the conduct of county affairs that will open the eyes of the voters. The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Leonard Reed 25, to Rose Pearce 10. An old fashioned New England supper was held in the vestry of the Kirk street church last evening. Inspectors Ladumme and Allen yesterday arrested Margaret Garlick, aged 35, for alleged containing \$5 from Charles Carey under false pretences. Charles E. Paige has declined the democratic representative nomination in the 24th district and the name of Winfield Parker will appear on the ticket. Lieut. Kew is entertaining visitors from home who came on the Vermont excursion. They are his father, Mr. John Kew, his brother, Robert and wife. They will remain in this city for a few days. On the same excursion came Mr. and Mrs. Horace K. Goodwin of Trowbridge, Vt., the former a brother of Inspector Frank Goodwin. They are the guests of Frank and his wife at their home on Corn street.

Remember that all that BROOKSIDE offers you still can have as there are a few lots remaining. Call at 65 Merrimack street, room 2, and see plans.

Nichols on the Stump. The Boston Post says: "A somewhat unique prohibition rally was held in Abbot'sford hall, Charlestown, last night, John A. Nichols, candidate for the senate in the seventh Middlesex district, being the principal speaker, assisted by Professor Nelson, who sang. The speaker illustrated his remarks by cartoons, which were thrown upon a canvas by a stereopticon.

See our special announcement on OVERCOATS on the Fourth Page. MERRIMACK CLOTHING COMPANY Opp. City Hall.

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LATEST HIS EXCELLENCY

Cornered by Hon. George Fred Williams.

HIS ANSWER DEMANDED ON THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Does He Approve Exclusion of Catholic Teachers?

At Milford, last night, Hon. George Fred Williams made another reference to Governor Greenhalge's attitude on the school question. He stated that he had not been able to get the governor to make any allusion to the attitude of the A.P.A. in trying to prevent the employment of Catholic teachers in the public schools. Mr. Williams said: "Will He Explain?"

Last night, however, by indirection, he seems to me to be appealing for the sympathy of this organization, which adopts as its badge and symbol what it calls the little red schoolhouse. The words of the little red schoolhouse as public enemies. Will His Excellency explain just what he means by such language, and accept my assurances that I am utterly unable to understand the significance of his words?

I do not know any enemies of the public schools in the state of Massachusetts, except those who would attempt to make it sectarian of any religious faith. That there are no enemies of the public schools in my city, I sincerely believe, and His Excellency does not venture to deny it. I do, however, stand aghast at the proposal openly made by a secret political organization in this state to exclude from our public school system those who give their allegiance to the Catholic faith. That proposal is alarming and threatening. I cannot conceive any other result than to disrupt our public school system and remove from the ranks of all Catholic citizens who should be induced and humiliated by an organized effort to prevent teachers of that faith from taking up the duty of teaching in our state. I had not supposed that any organization would be so bold as to make such a gross, dastardly attack upon the non-sectarian character of our public schools.

I say now, with a sense of solemn responsibility, to Governor Greenhalge, that if he has himself a feeling of loyalty to our public schools, he cannot afford to temporize with an organization which declares war upon the sacred system of popular, non-sectarian education of Massachusetts. If the organs and leaders of this movement within the republican party will absolutely disclaim the authenticity of this declaration, and if they will purpose on their part, I will gladly acknowledge such evidence. But surely the governor of Massachusetts has a duty which extends beyond his candidacy for reelection, and his voice is more potent than mine in this connection, and of such more sacred. As governor of the commonwealth, he represents the thousands of Catholic teachers and the many honest Catholics who are serving upon the school committees of cities and towns. His silence is unjustifiable, it seems to me, and much more so is his use of a symbol with which this order is identified. Red or White.

Let me speak as a man of large experience with the public schools of Massachusetts—as a pupil, a teacher and a school board member—that I see in this symbol an indication that it does not belong to Massachusetts, and that it is imported from some quarter that represents other views and other systems than the public school system of Massachusetts. Why, I hear to this is the symbol of our order red schoolhouse? I have travelled up and down this commonwealth for many years and I do not recall a single schoolhouse which is painted red. The white schoolhouse represents the Massachusetts of the future, and I think that it is the emblem of purity, rather than the emblem of bloody controversy. I stand by the white schoolhouse of Massachusetts, which has been purified in the atmosphere of our constitution, which may wear above the white flag of our native state, which means peace and good spirit among the worshippers of all shrines and the sons and daughters of any nationality.

The Governor Defied. I defy Governor Greenhalge or any of his followers to show in the ranks of the party anyone who would sincerely, or spot the pure white of the Massachusetts public school. And I say to His Excellency that I stand at the head of a party that is willing to shed red blood if need be in the defence of our non-sectarian schools in the defence of liberty of worship to all men, and to hold pure and unsullied the white of that flag which was borne by Catholics and Protestants alike over the red fields of the civil war.

But the battle for the maintenance of our school system must be fought at the ballot box. It is a matter of political controversy, and I have no doubt will remain so. But the time when the effective blow may be struck is upon the disappearance of the enemy. That enemy now stands intrenched within the walls of your party, your Excellency, and it is for you and your party to drive them from your midst or you cannot escape the responsibility for the evil which they may do.

McMansur Arrested. James McMansur was arrested in Laconia recently, for assault on his wife and sentenced to thirty days in jail. He was wanted by the Lowell officers for jumping of bail bond. His time expired a day or two ago and he was working out the costs. Today Inspector Allen will go after him. Officer Connor of Laconia re-arrested McMansur last night.

The High School Regiment. The following list of corporals have been appointed for the High School regiment. FIRST BATTALION. Co. A—Conors, Pillsbury, Badmington, N. H., Henry, Eames. Co. B—Lester, Fitzgerald, McGregor, Fuller, Robinson, Steyer. Co. C—Lewis, Wing, Laffame, Devoit, Garo, Kelley. SECOND BATTALION. Co. A—Cutler, Murphy, Kingsbury, Giley, Mudge, Coburn. Co. B—O'Neil, Burley, Cahill, Thorne, Ames, Co. A—Dunlap, Haley, A. Kelley, S. Kelley, O'Donnell, H. Varney.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

CONCORAN—The remains of the late Dennis Concoran were interred in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the family residence on Butterfield street at 5:45 and at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Patrick's church for the repose of the soul of the deceased. The choir directed by E. F. Faulkner rendered Schmidt's requiem mass, and a very large congregation was present, including many old residents of the city. During the service the remains enclosed in a black broadcloth covered casket rested on a catafalque in front of the main altar. On top of the casket were placed several handsome floral offerings.

At the conclusion of the service, the long funeral cortege reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place, after the committal services had been conducted by Rev. Fr. Gleason, pastor of the church.

The pall bearers were Messrs. James Hennessey, William Hart, Timothy Holland, Charles Donohue, Michael Boland and William Hogan.

Among the floral offerings were: a spray of 80 roses from George B. Davis; large basket of flowers from the Lavery family; ferns and spray of tea roses from the Hogan family; cross of ivy and roses, Mrs. Humphrey O'Sullivan; and a sheaf of wheat from Mrs. John J. Concoran; a large pillow inscribed "Father" from the family.

SAVINO—The funeral of Ellen Savino took place Wednesday afternoon from her late home, 207 Worthen street and was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were Luke Clark, James P. Kelly, Patrick Beecher, Joseph Griffiths and Mr. Cashman.

Interment was in the Catholic cemetery where service was conducted by Rev. Fr. Leonard.

DEATHS.

LARCOM—A brother of Lucy Larcom, the poetess, died at his home in Chelmsford at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, aged about 75 years. Jonathan Larcom, and two children survive him. He was a highly respected resident of Chelmsford. He was a carpenter. About two years ago he became feeble and remained in the house most of the time since. Death was due to a bronchial difficulty. A widow and three children survive him. The children are Fred A. Larcom of Waltham and Mrs. John Byfield of Chelmsford.

WALKER—Daniel A. Walker 71 years, died Wednesday night after a lingering illness, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Fuzzard, 95 Queen street. Deceased was born in Brownsville, Vermont, and came to Lowell in 1840. He was a machinist by trade and worked last for the machine shop corporation. He was a kind and loving husband and father and highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

DUNN—Emma Dunn, child of John J. Dunn and Alice Brown, died today at her parents' residence, 4 Jevett avenue, aged 10 months.

HOLMES—Marie Holmes of this city died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Holmes, 100 Essex street, aged 92 years. The remains will be interred here tomorrow.

ANDERSON—The funeral of the late Gertrude E. Anderson took place from her late home on Nineteenth street this afternoon, and was one of the largest funerals of a young person ever seen in Central street.

The deceased was an estimable young lady, possessed of an amiable and loving disposition, being very popular with all who knew her.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her friends. The following tributes were noticed: Mammoth "Gates Ajar," and large casket inscribed "At Rest," from the employees of the J. C. Ayer Co.; basket of roses from Fiske family; casket and casket, F. J. Gallagher; 19 tea roses from Miss Susie Hurley and Kittle Connor; basket of 19 roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Gorman; spray of 10 white gladioli, Mrs. McQuade; spray of 10 roses from Miss Kittle Slattery; 19 large white chrysanthemums, Elias A. McQuade; basket of roses, Miss Kate McMahon; 10 pinkies, Mrs. J. W. Clement; large pillow inscribed "At Rest," from the family; casket and casket, F. J. Gallagher; 19 tea roses from Miss Susie Hurley and Kittle Connor; basket of 19 roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Gorman; spray of 10 white gladioli, Mrs. McQuade; spray of 10 roses from Miss Kittle Slattery; 19 large white chrysanthemums, Elias A. 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THE NEXT storm will probably bring down a few of the massive bill boards, it may be on the heads of the pedestrians on the streets.

THE PRICE of coal has been advanced by one of the leading combines of the country. We may now expect to find higher prices all along the line.

MAJOR FINKHAM, of Detroit, has been renominated. Many people call him a crank, but whatever he is, he satisfies the people better than those who think themselves above them.

SO THE members of the common council want Colonel Plafar for superintendent of streets. The colonel is out of a job just at present, and he is one of those gentlemen who seem to think that the city owes him a living.

MR. J. J. VAN ALLEN, one time offered to pay \$50,000 for a foreign minister's position. He may soon require this sum to clear himself of the importunities of Col. Colt, of Providence, who accuses the Newport millionaire of serious interference in his domestic affairs.

PUBLIC J. FARLEY, made a strong speech at Southbridge, Wednesday. His arraignment of corporations and their baneful influences upon legislation was severe. To overcome the evils he described some official such as solicitor general suggested by Hon. George Fred Williams, is very much needed.

SENATOR HILL, of New York is again pleading the cause of democracy and seems to be as popular as ever. If he can restore the democracy to power in New York city, and afterwards in New York state, he will have done much to commend him for the presidential nomination.

BOSTON is to be made a head centre for the A. P. A. order. That settles it; no outward foe can now invade Boston. The patriots from Nova Scotia and more distant countries, will now gather round Rev. Dr. Dunn, and constitute themselves the carnival not only of Boston, but of the United States.

THOMAS F. LEONARD, Arthur A. Bailey and Paul Hanagan are mentioned as candidates for the mayoralty of Lawrence. Mayor Rutter, we are informed, is wisely discouraged by their candidacy. He has not yet declared his intentions, but we presume if he wants to be mayor for another year, he can accomplish that object despite all opposition.

THERE is great diversity of opinion upon the new scheme of having a water meter on every service. As the matter has never been tried in Lowell, the effect of the change remains to be seen. A large sum is required to effect the change, and it is quite problematic whether it will bring any adequate return either to the water board or to the people at large.

THE NAMES of Messrs. Galvin, Flood and Quincy are mentioned for the mayoralty of Boston. Quincy being a democratic leader, it seems, should have no difficulty in getting the nomination if he wants it. It would be rather embarrassing to Mr. Quincy if anybody should tell him that no democrat could be elected mayor of Boston next year.

SOME of the Lawrence newspapers should be ashamed of themselves on account of their continual indulgence in personalities. If they imagine that the public buys newspapers just to hear what their editor has to say of his own or his neighbor's personal traits, his vices or his virtues, they are greatly mistaken. Personal journalism would kill any paper and the Lawrence papers that follow it are only hastening the end of their career.

"YOUR GOOD MR. FOSS." "And your good Senator, Mr. Foss," said Lieut.-Gov. Wolcott at Huntington Fall last night. "Did he not work faithfully and well in the legislature?" He did for himself or if he wouldn't have secured so many public contracts," said a prominent republican in the rear of the hall. That is just what Foss did in the legislature. He worked for himself and never lost an opportunity by which he could advance his own personal interests regardless of the people.

MUSICAL WAR. The musical war in the school board is far from being settled. The fact of the whole matter is that several musical publishers having heard that there is some dissatisfaction with the music system at present used in the schools have come here and by every conceivable means endeavored to force the school board to adopt their systems. The Whitney, the Natural, the Normal and some other system are all in the light. The board did well in rejecting all the new ones and should stick to its decision.

THIS WILL NOT Be In Our Time. It has been calculated that if the world keeps on developing as at present horses, cattle and sheep will become extinct and man will be differentiated into two distinct animals—an upper world of "fabled pretenses" and a most repulsive subterranean race reduced to mere mechanical industry. In the course of a few millions of years the motion of the earth on its axis, which is supposed to be growing slower every year on account of the friction of the tides, will have ceased entirely, and the earth will present a constant face to the sun.

ON THE BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD.

Five Cars Demolished and 300 Passengers Injured.
NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 24.—A bad wreck occurred on the Boston and Albany railroad here about 8:30 o'clock last night. An accommodation train which left Boston with 300 passengers at 5:30 crashed into the rear of the Milford freight, which was moving on the siding. Five cars in the rear of the freight were demolished and the passenger engine smashed to pieces, the engineer and fireman barely escaping by jumping. Although the passengers were badly shaken up, no one was seriously injured. Traffic was delayed for five hours. The collision was caused by a switch left open on the main line.

VAN WYCK DEAD.

Had Been a Lawyer, Statesman, Soldier and a Farmer.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Ex-Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska died at 4:30 yesterday afternoon.
Charles Henry Van Wyck was born at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 10, 1824. He graduated at Rutgers in 1843, and soon afterward went upon the profession of law. From 1859 to 1883 he was district attorney of Sullivan county, N. Y. He served in the lower house of congress two terms, from 1859 to 1863, as a Republican. Before the close of his last term in the house, he was chosen colonel of the Tenth regiment, or Fifty-sixth regiment, of New York volunteers. He went to the front and served with General McClellan in the peninsula campaign. In 1865 he was brevetted brigadier general.

After the war he returned to the practice of his profession, was again elected to congress in 1867 and again served two terms. In 1874 he removed from New York to Nebraska and engaged in farming. But he soon drifted back into politics, and in 1876 was a member of the constitutional convention. He was then elected to the state senate, where he served until 1880, when he was elected to the United States senate. He retired from the senate in 1887 and returned to Nebraska, where he was subsequently twice a candidate for reelection, without success.

Mr. Van Wyck, although a very rich man, was an implacable foe of corporations. He was a great lover of antiquities, and during his residence here he had the auction rooms. In many things he was regarded as eccentric.

Mr. Van Wyck married a daughter of General Broadhead of Pennsylvania. Mr. Van Wyck had been in poor health for several years. About two years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis. His widow and a daughter survive him.

Almost Ready for Presentation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Waller has not yet had an interview with the secretary of state because of the absence of her pupils. She arrived yesterday, and she will go before the secretary of state with them in company with her attorney, as soon as he can classify the documents. The presentation which she will make is intended to establish the presumption of innocence on the part of her husband.

St. Louis, Oct. 25.—The last mail passenger train on the Vendell, due here at 1:30, was wrecked east of Indianapolis last night. The cars caught fire, but no further particulars were obtainable this morning.

From a Burned Vessel.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Captain Gaskill and the crew of the burned City of Augusta arrived from Boston today. Captain Gaskill will make a full report to the owners and underwriters.

Fiftieth Birthday at the Hub.
DETROIT, Oct. 25.—The American Missionary association decided to hold its jubilee anniversary in celebration of its 50th year in Boston next October.

Army Officer Dead.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The war department announces the death at Fort Leavenworth, of Captain S. G. Whipple, U. S. A., retired.

Texas Town Badly Scorched.
DALLAS, Oct. 25.—Fire destroyed more than \$100,000 worth of property in the business part of McKinney yesterday.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.
Disastrous forest fires are raging in Wisconsin.

Two men were killed in a train wreck at Bailey's, Pa.

Pope Leo again urges England to return to Romanism.

A child set fire to its bed and was burned to death at Malden, Mass.

A Berlin Socialist paper predicts a free commonwealth in Poland.

The partially completed city hall of St. Louis is found to be unsafe.

Discovery of rich gold and silver mines excites Vancouver, B. C.

No trouble is feared from the Ute Indians now hunting in Colorado.

More of the Good Government club's candidates in New York may withdraw.

Sixty-four invalided French soldiers died on the way home from Madagascar.

The London News says the Monroe doctrine is misapplied in the Uruguian incident.

The residence and buildings of Charles E. Cobb of Westbrook, Me., were burned. Loss, \$7000.

Paris figures tell how much each of the deputy members of the Southern France railway syndicate made.

The territory of Annapolis in dispute between France and Brazil is being prepared for defense by Brazilian engineers.

RAILROAD GIANTS COMBINE

THE NEW RAILROAD TRUST THE GREATEST EVER FORMED.
Combined Capital Enough to Give Every Inhabitant of the Land Over \$20.—What Wall Street Says of the Pool—Business at Its Meroy.

The great railroad trust, which the presidents of nine of the important trunk lines have now completed, dwarfs all similar combinations of the past. The new trust means the union of hundreds of millions in outstanding securities and stocks more valuable as dividend and interest bearing.

The nine men back of it are the railroad princes of the world. Their word is law to hundreds of thousands of employees, and their decisions affect the value of millions upon millions of securities.

The following table shows the mileage, the capitalization and the funded debt of the nine members of the combine. There is mileage enough to stretch around the globe six times, while the value of the listed securities foots up to over \$1,500,000,000, or between \$20 and \$25 for every inhabitant of the United States.

	Mileage.	Capital.	Funded debt.
Grand Trunk	3,311	\$200,000,000	\$120,000,000
Illinois and Ohio	2,165	125,000,000	75,000,000
Pennsylvania	2,715	120,000,000	82,400,000
Delaware	1,070	120,000,000	77,000,000
N. Y. Central	2,500	100,000,000	67,177,338
W. Va. & Va.	1,000	100,000,000	60,000,000
Wabash	1,070	50,000,000	31,740,000
Ches. and Ohio	1,562	60,000,000	41,191,511
D. & W. and W.	838	20,000,000	3,007,000
Totals	17,082	\$828,000,000	\$510,555,177

The table does not include the connected companies which go out into the other parts of the country as feeders of these trunk lines, such as the New York and Vanderbilt system and the Nickel Plate and the others bringing up trade from the southwest and northwest to the coast reaching lines.

So far the interstate commission has done nothing. But it has been kept informed of the progress of the pool and knows that the originators of the last great coalition, who have seen previous pools and ciphers grow and wane, claim that it is entirely within the law. Indeed in their declaration they say that one of their objects is the creation of a new set of provisions of the interstate commerce law.

But the history of this pool is full of accounts of fights by the commissioners against just such combines of normally competing lines.

The poolsters say that they intend merely to "equalize rates" and to give more freedom in the shape of special freight lines, scapings, commissions, extra privileges, etc. There is plenty of field for this sort of pruning. The whole railroad business is permeated with profit sucking leeches.

Large systems have fast freight lines, which are nothing more than creations of the lines themselves for squeezing extra charges from the public.

The scaling business can only exist by and with the connivance of high officials in the roads.

The purchasing bureaus of the roads are hoveycombed with this system of special profits and commissions.

All this may be out off, but those best posted look for the result of any such organization of the modern railroad system, but by the simpler "adjustment of rates," which means a general marking up of prices until the roads are satisfied they can get no more.

Wall street regards the new pool as a bull card. It is pointed out that it will put the traffic schedule makers in a position to get satisfactory rates for freight and passengers, and that this means, according to the traditions of the railroad fraternity, "all that the traffic will bear."

For a long time it has been known whether the Grand Trunk of Canada would come into the pool. This subsidized line has always been in a position to upset any deal the American lines might propose.

Consequently there was great rejoicing among the railroad presidents when it agreed to the new trust. It means that the ring was complete and that the trade and business of the United States would be entirely at the mercy of the trust.

But every corporation in the combine is a chartered body, getting its power and prestige from some legislature, which can control it. And one of the roads is now doubly under the control of civil authorities, as it is in a receiver's hands.—New York World.

Her Teeth Punctured Her Tire.
A Chester (Pa.) lady, prominent in society, was spending the day last night on her bicycle when a sudden sneeze sent her false teeth flying over the machine. Instantly dismounting, she searched in vain for the molars and rudely denouncing the wheel pedaled homeward. The lost wheels, it was found, whose social functions were numerous, and as her teeth had often been admitted to new set meat social oblivion for several days. While her pretty brow was drawn together in perplexity she noticed an ox-trace on the tire, and dismounting a second time she was surprised and overjoyed to find the false teeth sticking like a bar in the pneumatic tire, which they had punctured.—Philadelphia Record.

Wanted News of the War.
"What's the latest news of the war?" was the surprising question that staggered the customs officers who boarded the ship William H. Connor as she sailed into Portland, Me., one day last week. The query was put by the captain and the officers and he was suspiciously until he explained that when he sailed from Kobe, Japan, on May 8 last, the China-Japan war was in full swing, and he wanted to know how the fighters were getting along. The war had been over so long the customs officers had forgotten all about it.—New York Sun.

At the Grindin of the Cane.
The fair time, the dear time, is comin round again. When a fellow'll meet his sweetheart at the grindin of the cane: When his eyes will be beamin under bonnet, and his heart will be dreamin while we're kissin of the girl!

Oh, sweet the cane juleo drippin from the windin, grindin mill! An sweet the red lips sippin—but their kiss is not the same!

An the world is sugar coated, an a feller can't complain When he meets an greets his sweetheart at the grindin of the cane!

—Frank L. Stanton in Atlantic Constitution.

A Matter of Pride.
"How do you manage to live?" no asked of the old woman who wanted "just a few pennies."

"By beggin," she answered frankly. "You don't you apply for admission to the poorhouse?"

"Sir," she exclaimed, "I'm too proud to be a pauper!"—Chicago Post.



"What are you thinking of, Madge?" "Whether I would rather have you for a friend or Jack for a husband?" "Well, can't you have both?" "That depends upon Jack."—Brooklyn Life.

Suspicious Confirmed.
One of the principal men in the bureau of printing and engraving had a somewhat peculiar experience in New York recently.

He had occasion to visit 420 metropolitan on business and after a stay of several days at one of the hotel hotels he called for his bill. When it was given him, he tendered in payment a brand new \$20 silver certificate. The clerk looked at it and then passed it back.

"What's the matter?" said the official. "I can't take that," replied the clerk. "Not good!" exclaimed the official. "Not good! Why, man, it's good. I made it myself."

"Yes," said the clerk, "so I thought."—Washington Post.

An Even Thing.
It has been said that all men are cowards in the dark, and there is doubtless some truth in the statement. Two officers of the British army in India had a difficulty which resulted in a duel.

The colonel, the challenged party, was an old campaigner who had won his laurels in the Crimea, and was a most polished soldier. The choice of weapons being his, he named pistols, and elected that the affair should occur in a dark room.

We secured a room 80 feet square, says the narrator of the incident, closed every crevice that would admit light, placed our men in corners diagonally opposite, and withdrew.

Each man was provided with three charges, and when those were exhausted we rushed in to gather up the mutilated remains.

Each man stood erect and soldierlike in his corner, untouched, but directly behind the officer who had given the challenge were three bullet holes made by the colonel's pistol.

"How is this?" said a grizzled major. "Had you been standing back, you would have been killed."

The culprit was forced to admit that he had dropped to one knee.

"You are a coward, sir, and unfit for the company of soldiers and gentlemen!" cried the major.

"Hold on, major!" said the colonel. "It is a stand off. While he was on his knees in one corner, I was on my stomach in the other."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Particular.
"Are you the warden of this here jail?" he inquired as he leaned on the stick over which he had carried his bundle.

"I am," was the reply. "Well, how's the ventilation?" "Why, good, of course."

"As the food?" "Same as usual." "Any elevators yet?" "Of course not."

"Hot or cold water in the rooms?" "Not a bit."

"Well, your time yet. Hustle round an get things in shape. To know I've been a regular boarder with ye for many winters, but ye'll have to git in for more improvements or I'm goin ter transfer me outa here."—Washington Star.

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"I'm all right now, and am gaining flesh daily. I follow your advice faithfully in everything. Thank you ten thousand times for what your knowledge and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have done for me."

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.
ALBANY, Oct. 25. Forecast for Friday, Oct. 25. Partly cloudy, with light winds. Temperature, 44 to 54. Wind, S. by E. 4 to 10. Rain, 1/4 inch. Length of day, 13 1/2 hours. Forecast for New England: Fair, with westerly winds; slightly warmer.

LOCAL NEWS.
Ereans lodge met last evening and arranged for union rallies in the interest of no-license.
The ladies of Grace Universalist church gave a chicken supper at the church vestry on Shattuck street last evening.
The New England Telephone and Telegraph company met Wednesday and declared a dividend of \$1.25 per share.
German and American glass, single and double thick, for building and hot-house purposes, always in stock. Coburn's, Market street.
A party of 38 members of Highland union, Rebekah lodge, went to Lawrence, last night, and were the guests of Crystal Rebekah lodge of that city.

Off for Europe.
The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to leave New York tomorrow for Europe on the Cunard line steamer Campania: Mr. Hamlet Pearson, James O'Day, Daniel O'Day, Daniel O'Day and Edward Scullion.
Washington Commandery, U. O. G. C. Washington Commandery, Golden Cross, met last evening and made arrangements for celebrating the 37th anniversary on Nov. 14. The feature will be an art lecture by Miss Mabel C. Foster of Boston, who is the daughter of Rev. Addison P. Foster, former pastor of the First Church of this city, and a granddaughter of Rev. F. B. Foster, who was pastor for many years of the John street church. Her subject will be "A glimpse of Boston studios," and she will show a large collection of pictures. The committee of arrangements consists of Arthur L. Gray, Mrs. F. C. Austin, Marion Gregg, Wallace A. Corey, Mrs. F. J. Vignani and Harry Gray.

What Mr. Nichols Says.
LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 24, 1895.
Editor THE SUN:—One of the peculiarities of a political campaign seems to be the strange and mysterious rumors put in circulation about the personality of the candidates. It has been brought to my notice, since my acceptance of the prohibition nomination for senator, that a rumor, which I have traced to its source, is being secretly but extensively circulated that I am about to join the Catholic church and am also opposed to the public school system.
It seems hardly necessary to say that these statements are false and ridiculous. Religiously, I am probably as far from the Catholic church as the North Pole, and as far from the South, while free of buildings, however, the same right to others that I claim for myself, namely, to worship the Almighty in the way that commends itself to my own conscience and reason.
My position on the public school question is fully defined in the plank in the prohibition platform, upon which I stand with both feet, viz:
"We stand unequivocally for the American public schools, taught in the English language, and are opposed to any appropriation of public money for sectarian schools or other sectarian purposes, or to any religious test of citizenship."
Yours very truly,
JOHN A. NICHOLS.

COMMUNICATION.
Editor of THE SUN:—Having read considerable concerning a proposed plan to meter water in all houses in the city, and by which the owners of buildings will be taxed \$5 as a minimum I would like to ask if the projectors of this scheme have taken into consideration the fact that in all cases of tenement houses the water is used by the tenants and not the owner. The meter register more than would suit the landlord's pocketbook, each tenant would get a lecture upon economy in using water by his landlordship and that in many cases eventually the facilities of obtaining water by tenants would be reduced?
As it is already, some of the large tenement blocks of this city are in an unhealthy condition owing to lack of flushes in water closets and in some cases, lack of water closets. Now, if every house of water is to be charged to the landlord, we may expect to find in the future, one facet to two families in a tenement block, and fewer closets. Let the water board consider the needs of the poor and the effect of the new scheme upon poor tenants before acting in the matter.
Yours truly,
A TENANT.

THEATRICAL NEWS.
Music Hall.
"Money Order" was presented at Music hall last evening and proved to be highly meritorious production. Although presented here for the first time it had a very large attendance and the liberal applause showed the appreciation of the audience.
The plot deals with the adventure of an educated tramp, formerly in better circumstances, who journeys west and finds his wife married to a prosperous merchant and the mistress of his business partner. The tramp exposes her, is looked upon as a mad man, but finally escapes, and proves the unfaithful partner to be a defaulter. The latter and the unfaithful wife are discarded and the tramp taken in as partner in the business.
Every character in the cast is strongly represented, the dialogue is bright and the situations interesting and exciting. One of the most humorous scenes is at the beginning of the third act where the tramp is examined for insanity, and the presence of the poor board. It kept the audience in a roar of laughter until the curtain fell. Some special work is introduced and the whole performance is first class. It will be given to-night and tomorrow night and tomorrow afternoon.
A Woman Hung.
Around the neck of her husband and beheaded and impaled him to go immediately and reserve seats for the pretty and young actress, Lillian Kennedy, in "The Countess." The actress, at her age, is endowed with such transcendent talent; in the whole range of the drama she shines resplendent, exciting tears or laughter at will, and with an ease and absence of effort that is arms criticism.
She sings a ballad or comic song, dances a graceful skirt dance or break down, and all she does is imbued with the spirit of an Irish artist. The thorough musician, endowed with youth and the common beauty, she seems destined at no distant day to reach the very pinnacle of dramatic eminence.
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RUSSIA'S DESIGN

Is to Capture Korea if Possible.

HER SHIPS HEADED IN THAT DIRECTION.

Speculation as to the outcome at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The cable report that a Russian fleet of 15 vessels was on its way to Korea attracted much attention yesterday among the diplomatic representatives of the far East to whom it was shown. It is regarded as presenting grave conditions, if the facts are as represented. The fact that Russia is one of the points toward which the Russians are heading is pointed out as especially significant. Russia is at the southeastern extremity of Korea, and is the point nearest to Japan, being only 140 miles from the Japanese mainland. Further north is Woon-Sin, the strategic point in Korea which the Russians have long sought to secure. It is on Broughton's bay, in the middle of the east coast of Korea. The north arm of the bay is known as Port Lazareff, and here the Russian fleet comes regularly for maneuvers. The bay is the only useful harbor in the stretch of 300 miles along the east coast of Korea. The harbor is perfectly sheltered, and is open the year round. Leading authorities agree that it will ultimately be the terminus of the trans-Siberian railway which Russia is building.
For these reasons the movements of the Russian fleet toward these points of strategic importance is watched with keen interest.

Wrecked in Boston Harbor.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Schooner William H. Cross of this port, Captain Lawson, arrived yesterday in badly damaged condition, having been in collision with the schooner Chilton of Portsmouth, N. H. The accident occurred just outside Boston harbor. Just how the collision happened is not explained, but the Cross struck the Chilton on the port side, and she sank almost immediately. Her captain and crew of three men escaped. They refused to be taken off by a sail vessel and rowed up Boston harbor in their own boat.

The Cold Divorce Scandal.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—James M. Ripley, Bathbone Gardner and Richard Comstock, counsel for Mrs. Samuel P. Colt, met to conference at Mr. Comstock's office yesterday, together with Mrs. Colt. Immediately after it ended the entire party started for New York. It is stated that Colonel Colt, accompanied by friends, is also in that city. The writ, calling for Van Allen's arrest, was yesterday given to High Sheriff De Blois of Newport county, and was taken to Newport. It will be served today.

To Work For Almost Nothing.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Karlinsky Gorgashian and half a dozen other Armenians from Carpathia admitted yesterday to the board of special inquiry at Ellis island that they had come to America under contract to work in the shoe factories of Lynn, Mass. They had been furnished with free tickets and about \$10 each. They were ordered to work for 45 cents a week. The men arrived on La Champagne, and they will be sent back on her.

Railroad Accident at Saeco.
SAECO, Me., Oct. 25.—A freight train from Portland ran into the engine of an east-bound freight train at Saeco on the Boston and Maine road yesterday afternoon. The regular train was on the main track, and the special attempted to run on a side track, but the switch failed to work. Both engines were somewhat damaged and one left the tracks. Nobody was injured.

Held by the Wilkesons.
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25.—The Liverpool Post claims to have discovered the head of Oliver Cromwell in the possession of the Wilkeson family of Sealchart, Eng. Samuel H. Church, author of the "Life of Cromwell," says the existence of this head has been known for fully 100 years, and competent judges believe it to be genuine.

Lost on the Banks.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Captain Griffin, of the schooner Lizzie Griffin, who reported four of the crew lost while wrecked on the Grand Banks fishing grounds, has received word that Ed. Carigan and Isaac Little, two of the missing men, have been picked up by the schooner Puritan.

Two Walkers Killed by Two Terrys.
NASHVILLE, Oct. 25.—Dibbrell Walker of Cookeville was shot and killed here yesterday by young Terry, also of Cookeville. Terry's brother Jack killed Walker's brother in the mountains, and since then there has been bad blood between the families.

Wrecked Off St. Johns.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Schooner E. Walsh, from Boston, for Sidney, C. B., in ballast, was totally wrecked at St. Johns island, near Yarmouth.

Back From Atlanta.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—President Cleveland and cabinet officials arrived from Atlanta at 8:10 last evening.

To Run to Portland.
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—The collector of this port was officially informed yesterday that the Allan line of steamers will run between Portland and Liverpool this winter, and that the first steamer will arrive here Nov. 17.

Again In the Water.
BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The Armenian ram Katchab was taken from the dry dock at the Chickadee navy yard yesterday and moored off the pier. General Hyde said he thought the ram would make the requisite 12 knots.

Thrown From Cars.
SALEM, Mass., Oct. 25.—Peter Barry, a trainman, was at work on some coal cars when a freight was shunted down against them, throwing him off the rear car and several cars passed over his head and arms.

Decrease in Coal Shipments.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—Statistics of the coal shipments of Nova Scotia for the nine months ending September, 1895, compared with the same period in 1894, show a large falling off.

Alleged Violation of Fishery Laws.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—The American fishing schooner John L. Nicholson, Captain Rudolph, was seized yesterday by the collector of customs at Canoe for violation of the fishery laws.

Well Known by Travelers.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—Thomas Davenport, a prominent hotel keeper in this state and Massachusetts for the past 25 years, died here yesterday from brain's disease.

LOCAL NEWS.
Old Hundred 10c. cigar.
T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bldg.
The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles, all prices, 18 Church street.
Twenty-five pianos to select from at Steiner's, 51 Merrimack street.
Miss Mary Joyce of Emerson college is ready to receive pupils in physical culture and elocution privately or in classes. For further particulars call or address, 205 Lakeview avenue.

Collision on Bridge Street.
A white horse attached to a buggy belonging to Charles Belanger ran away from Centralville, this morning at 8 o'clock and collided with a tree at the corner of Bridge and Polge streets. The buggy was badly damaged.

Music for the School Board.
The school board was treated last night to an exhibition of the merits of the American system of music. Prof. Knapp explained the system to the members of the board, who seemed highly pleased and greatly impressed with it.

Mr. Knapp's Lecture.
Mr. Daniel A. Ruid of Detroit, Mich., will give a free lecture in Huntington hall, Sunday evening, Oct. 27. Mr. Ruid is a highly educated colored gentleman and is the editor of the American Catholic Tribune, the only Catholic paper in this country published by the colored people which also supports an industrial school for colored boys. The lecture will be in aid of the paper.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.
"Great Josephine" Jeremiah McCarthy is the aged condition, having been just elected in Nashville, Tenn., "Nashua Telegraph."
Well, what of that, neighbor? Dalton McCarthy is the leader of the Canadian Orangemen. A countryman of his named Traynor, is president of the American Protective association. Peter Fitzpatrick is the New Hampshire state organizer of the "United American Mechanics," and a descendant of the Puritans named Callahan is a prominent member of one of the local lodges of the order. "Put none but Americans on guard."

The sole cause of England's tenacious hold on Venezuela soil is that traces of gold have been found where England has placed her camp. She surmises that she can dig up nuggets there if she can make good her title.

"Did you ever hear how the crossing at grade of two railroad lines came to be called a 'know-nothing crossing'?" I thought not. The term is in common use the country over, but I'll bet a good hat that not one person in every ten thousand that employ it in every day conversation know its origin.

The veteran railway man crossed one leg over the other knee, lighted his cigar afresh, and in answer to requests for an explanation went on:

"Years ago—I don't remember how many, for I'm not posted on political matters—I was in the Know-Nothing party, which, so far as I can learn, was very similar in its tenets to the A. P. of today, carried the state election here in Massachusetts and got control of the legislature. One day a member of the house, a clergyman and a Know-Nothing, offered a bill in relation to the grade crossings of railroads. I cannot recall the exact phraseology of the whole measure, but it provided in effect that when two trains were simultaneously approaching such a crossing, each should stop until the other passed. Would you believe it, the bill passed the House before anybody discovered that under its provisions, if a train and a Know-Nothing crossed, the train would be stalled, waiting until the other passed. But when the measure came before the senate somebody 'got on' and exposed the absurdity of the bill, and it was voted down. The Know-Nothing party, however, was not discouraged, and the bill was introduced again. This time it was immediately recognized, and it passed into common use."

The Boston Herald has an editorial on "The Lost Art of Sewing," and says the new woman dispenses the needle. Alas for the buttons that will always stay on. Will some philanthropic inventor come forward with a machine that will do as a substitute for thread? It will soon be one of the crying needs of the hour.

A couple who were married on May 5 of this year and separated Aug. 17, presented themselves before Judge Fryer in New York asking for a divorce. It was refused on the ground that the parties had not given matrimonial aid. Five months the judge held, was not a sufficient length of time in which to prove marriage a failure.

A Maine editor has sent little Marion Cleveland a poodle. This moves the Galveston News to remark that most editors have been giving her father pointers.

RUSSIA'S DARING

Secures Control of Manchuria by Diplomacy.

THE OTHER GREAT POWERS MAY INTERPOSE

To Prevent the Destruction of Balance of Power.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The correspondent of The Times at Hong Kong learns that by the recently concluded Russo-China treaty Russia obtains rights to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur, and to construct and work under Russian administration railroads from Nanchang and Tsingtao to Port Arthur, together with other commercial privileges to which the most favored nation clause is not applicable.

In an editorial, commenting upon its dispatch from Hong Kong, The Times this morning says: Our correspondent has close relations with men who are able to penetrate beneath the surface of things. His startling news, therefore, cannot be disregarded, even, as is too probable, though it be followed by an official denial. Russia cannot possibly imagine that the great powers will view with indifference such a destruction of the balance of power, which is almost unparalleled in its audacity. China's option to purchase the railroad is a jest almost too cynical to find a place in any serious diplomatic transaction. Under the indicated conditions, Manchuria would practically become a Russian province.

How Revolutionists Were Punished.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 25.—Further details regarding the execution of the 50 young Turks who were arrested on Saturday on a charge of excesses during the recent Armenian riots show that the 50 culprits, after a trial, were conveyed by night aboard a Turkish man-of-war, whose boats took them into the swift waters of the Bosphorus. These measures have entirely broken the spirit of the revolutionists. Hassan Fasha, minister of marine, is also suspected and is closely watched.

News From Honolulu.
HONOLULU, Oct. 17.—The board of health has lifted the quarantine, and Honolulu is once more a clean port. Now that the cholera trouble is over, the government will take up the claims of the British, arising out of the January rebellion. Minister Hatch is preparing the testimony in the Craunston suit against the Vancouver steamer Warrimoo will commence tomorrow. Craunston wants \$50,000 for being forcibly taken from this country.

No Signs of Reform.
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 25.—The promised arrests of smugglers hang fire. Smugglers and their friends threaten shocking disclosures if the prosecutions go ahead. The board of revenue insist that the cases should be tried before them, and the rupture in the government ranks shows no signs of healing.

Insurance Companies' Losses.
HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—A statement of losses sustained in Nova Scotia by the insurance companies, made up to Oct. 10, indicates \$142,000, as against \$112,000 last year, an increase of nearly 30 per cent.

Chris Holmes' Specialty Store, 124 and 126 Merrimack St.



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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25.

- \$5.00**
Blue Chinchilla Overcoat, heavy weight, well made and bound to keep the wearer warm and comfortable.
- \$6.00.**
Black Kersey Overcoat; a very respectable garment can be had at this price if bought of us.
- \$8.00.**
The man who buys our \$8 coat gets an all-wool Kersey, made to good shape, fine linings, good velvet collar and substantially trimmed. Not much money for an all-wool coat.
- \$10.00.**
We're particularly strong here. Buying early, we had the pick of the market. Our Kersey-beaver Coat at \$10 is full weight, pure wool, made to look well and wear well, and is a better garment than we've sold for \$12. Colors, black and blue; sizes 34 to 42.
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Here you can buy a fine Black Kersey Coat, with well stitched seams, rugged, a fine young man's garment at a low price. We have extra sizes for big men up to 50 breast.
- \$15.00.**
This is our stronghold. We have a number of different styles at this price in black, blue, brown and oxford, some lined with clay and some with lustrous. The Shuman Overcoat, in a heavy Kersey-beaver, which fits and looks as Shuman clothing only does—is a trade winner. We can fit all shapes with these coats.
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A fine Kersey, cut like the fashion plate ones, in black. We have extra sizes at this price to fit very large men.
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Watch This Space For Announcement of Bargains

Over \$1,000,000 worth of government property was destroyed, on which there was no insurance.

Not Able to Proceed to Nice.
PARIS, Oct. 25.—The condition of the czar which has become very much worse, and he is not now able to proceed to Nice, where a villa had been prepared for his occupancy during the winter. The czar, which has had several violent attacks and has become very much weakened.

Thrown From His Horse.
LONDON, Oct. 25.—Lord Delamere, while hunting near Tapscott, had his horse stumble under him, and he was thrown. He is in a critical condition.

Gets His Old Job.
YOKOHAMA, Oct. 25.—Count Inouye, who was formerly Japanese Minister to Korea, has started again for Korea as the special ambassador.

Interdicted by Those He Hated.
CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 25.—Colonel Francisco Amador, who, nearly 10 years ago, was sentenced to death by court-martial for lavishing with an armed force in an American territory, and whose sentence was confirmed by the supreme court, is dead. His sentence, at the instance of the United States government, was commuted to 20 years' imprisonment. He was 55 years old, and of late was allowed the freedom of the city. He died an enemy of Americans.

Peasants Demand Prompt Relief.
RIGA, Oct. 25.—Famine prevails in the Smolensk and Pskov districts of Russia, owing to the failure of the crops. The minister of the interior recently set apart 1,500,000 roubles for the relief of the inhabitants of these districts, but ragged and hungry peasants are inquiring what has become of the money.

Marlborough Meets Business Men.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Henry L. Horton, a banker, gave a dinner last evening to the Duke of Marlborough, which was attended by about 50 business men. It was Mr. Horton's idea that the duke should see some of the representatives of New York's business interests, as well as the society people.

J. E. Moore in Charge of Affairs.
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—A petition was presented to Judge Walton yesterday praying for the appointment of a receiver for the Portland Aid society of Maine, which was recently bought out by the Bay State Insurance company. The court appointed Joseph E. Moore of Rockland as receiver, and Robert T. Whitehouse as master in chancery.

O My Head!

Is the weak, languid cry of the sufferer from sick headaches. Hood's Pills cure this condition promptly, and also agreeably that it is like the pleasant change from darkness to daylight. The feeling of utter exhaustion and inability to work is driven off and the digestive organs are toned, strengthened and regulated. Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, safe, reliable. 25c. at all druggists.

Art Store.

Framed Pictures, Paintings, Pastels, Water Colors, Artotypes, Engravings, Engravings, Pictures Framed to Order. A new line of Mountings. Have just received a nice line of Catholic Prayer Books.

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Our Boys' department was never in the position to please our customers, as at present. You are sure to be satisfied if you leave it to us to fit your boy.

Boys' Overcoats \$1.50 to \$8.

Cape coats for boys are here in great variety and in the fashionable shades and mixtures. Our assortment is large and our prices are right.

Boys' Ulsters \$2 to \$10.

Our Boys' Ulsters are made with a view to the comfort as well as the appearance of the boy. We show a varied line and our prices are at the bottom notch.

Boys' Reefers \$2 to \$6.

A Reefer is the popular overgarment for a boy for 1895. To appreciate our line you must see it.

72 TO 86 MERRIMACK STREET

FOR SALE—A small store furnished with milk chairs, for sale cheap, at 780 Gorton street.

THAT MANITOBA TROUBLE

MAY BE SETTLED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT.

For a Settlement of the Parochial School War in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 25.—Archbishop Langevin, the head of the Roman Catholic church in this province, has submitted a proposition to Premier Greenway and the Manitoba government. It is reported, for a compromise in the parochial school warfare, and the compromise is to be accepted. The terms are understood to be these: Catholic separate schools may be established, but will receive no financial aid from the government. The Catholics, however, are not to be taxed for the support of the Protestant public schools. The Catholic school board will be supplied with machinery to impose taxes on all Catholics for parochial schools, except where a Catholic parent prefers to send his children to the public schools.

In brief, the proposition is that Catholics be not taxed for public schools, but be compelled to pay the total cost of the maintenance of parochial schools. Such a compromise, it is thought, will satisfy both Catholics and Protestants, and end the struggle.

Knapp's Explanation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knapp has written an open letter to Senator Chandler in reply to the latter's criticism of the new trunk line agreement. Mr. Knapp reiterates his assertion that the detection and punishment of crimes treated by the Interstate Commerce statute is only an incident to the scheme and aim of "regulation," a feature with which the commission has no power to deal. He adds that the courts seem to have reached a conclusion different from the view taken by Senator Chandler that the alleged agreement that the trunk lines are able to enter into is illegal and criminal under either the anti-trust or anti-trust laws.

Old Records Laid Low.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The record breaking race between New York and Chicago reached this city last night at 10:18 p. m. The time between New York and Chicago is given out as 17h. 45m. 23s., the distance being 980 miles. A representative of the Chicago Tribune brought a paper published in Chicago yesterday morning. This is the first time a Chicago paper has ever been seen in New York on the day of publication.

Authorities Will Investigate.
AMSBURY, Mass., Oct. 25.—County Solicitor Hoyt of Kingston, N. H., has taken up the Glover poisoning case at Epping, N. H. Professor Angell has reported that he has found morphine in the stomach of Susie Glover. It is probable that the remains of the Glover boy, who died a year ago, will now be exhumed, as the symptoms at his death were the same as that of the girl who died last month. Startling developments are expected.

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All orders for churches, societies, etc. received at "The Spa," corner Merrimack and Prescott Streets, and at new establishment, corner Lakeview Avenue and Book Street, opposite August Fels.

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Black Beaver Overcoats

\$6.00 Each.

We have several lines at \$8.

At \$10 we show a still greater variety. We sell for \$10.00 the best and heaviest All-Wool, Smooth Faced, Black and Blue Beavers ever offered in this city for that price. We sell for \$10.00 the finest, best made and best lined, strictly All-Wool Kersseys, that can be found in the state. We have a bigger and better stock of Overcoats than can be found elsewhere, at \$12.00, \$18.00, \$13.50, \$14.00 and \$15.

We have the goods. They are made right. They fit right. We invite you to make the closest examination and comparisons, feeling sure that your verdict will be, that our prices are right, and that the right place to buy is from

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Won't Hurt Us Much.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The British authorities have notified the navy department that hereafter no naval officers will be permitted to take the course at the Greenwich Royal School of Naval Architecture, a privilege which has been enjoyed with such signal benefit that Americans have usually graduated at or near the head of the classes. The Glasgow school and Paris school, however, are still open to our young constructors, and with the opening of the Cornell course on naval architecture, the navy department feels that it can get along very well.

Declared to Be Forgeries.
SANTA FE, Oct. 25.—The court of private land claims adjudged yesterday till March. A formal decision, finally rejecting the Peralta land grant in southern New Mexico and Arizona, claiming 12,000,000 acres, worth at least \$25,000,000, was handed down. The court found that no alleged claimant, Miguel de Peralta, baron of the Colorado, existed, and that the grant papers are forgeries. Reavis, who is now in jail here, on a charge of presenting a fraudulent claim against the government, says he will appeal the case to the United States supreme court.

Asked For Death Sentence.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Assistant District Attorney Flanagan yesterday asked the opening argument for the prosecution in the trial of Duffant. He discussed the evidence in the case from the time Duffant accompanied Miss Lamont to school on the morning of April 3 until he appeared before Organist King in Emanuel church at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, trembling and excited. He closed by asking the jury to uphold the laws of the state by rendering a verdict of guilty and fixing the penalty at death.

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- 100 Heavy Beaver Capes, fur trimmed, only \$1.98, down from \$5.
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- 20 Extra Heavy Fine Fur Capes, \$7.50, down from \$10.
- 25 Heavy Boucle Jackets, 7.75, down from \$8.50.
- 50 Heavy Velvet Trimmed Boucle Jackets, very latest, our price \$10, richly worth \$15.

Our stock of Fur Capes is larger and our prices lower than ever before.

Our Great Sale of Underwear and Hosiery is still going on and shall continue Friday and Saturday. Kid Gloves and Gloves of all kinds very cheap.

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Handsome 2-Button Reefer Jackets
Of wide wale diagonal, made with ripple back, mandolin sleeve, large handsome pearl buttons, and half lined with satin; regular price \$18.50. Special Price \$9.75.

Fine Tailor-Finished Beaver Coat,
Double-stitched seams, velvet collar, 2 button box front, regular price \$10.75. Special Price \$7.50.

Heavy Chinchilla Reefer,
Made with large draped sleeves, ripple back and velvet collar, regular price \$9.50. Special Price \$6.75.

Furs, Furs, Furs.
Do not be persuaded to invest one dollar in a Fur Cape before you have examined our assortment. The line of Fur Capes we are now showing was never before equalled in Lowell.